

# The La Crosse Tribune

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## THE WEATHER

Probable showers to-night; fair Tuesday and cooler

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## GENERAL KING COMPLIMENTS THIRD

THEIR WORK A CREDIT TO REGULAR ARMY

## LA CROSSE MILITIA SETTLED

Spend a Hot Saturday Pitching Camp, a Quiet Sunday—Scores in Pistol Practice Today

(By Staff Correspondent.)  
CAMP DOUGLAS, Wis., July 12.—(Special.)—"The way the Third regiment comes into camp, the ease with which the members go about their work, would be a credit to the regular army," is the compliment paid the "Shooting Third" by General Chas. King.

All of the companies composing the Third regiment had arrived in camp by Saturday night, and with a few exceptions, every company brought its full enlistment. The La Crosse companies B and M arrived early in the morning. While it was not pouring rain, as it was last year, the heat made the situation worse and a number of the men were forced to fall out. They recovered shortly, however. William Paul of Company B suffered convulsions.

Col. Holway arrived in camp in the afternoon Saturday and was here just in time to be caught in a down-pour of rain.

While there are a few of the men who have failed to come to camp this year, yet the regiment is close to having its full strength.

From the minute the Third entered the grounds yesterday the discipline was good. The men went about their work in a soldierly manner and few complaints were heard from the officers.

The Viroqua band has come up to all expectations and fills the place made vacant by Prof. Dana's aggregation.

Among the guests in camp are Secretary of State, James A. Frear and Senator O. G. Munson, private secretary of Governor Davidson.

Sunday was quiet, the only work being regimental drill. The recent order preventing Sunday shooting stopped the usual officers' pistol practice. The battalion formed on the parade ground soon after supper and was taken to church.

The greater portion of this morning was taken up with small arms practice for the first and second battalions, and this afternoon there will be dismounted pistol practice for officers and non-commissioned staff officers, and musicians, sharpshooters and expert courses. Each company will pitch shelter tents.

There is a change in the field and staff of the Third regiment since last camp. The former quartermaster, John Turner of Mauston, is now a major commanding the Third battalion, while Capt. William Howse, formerly quartermaster sergeant of the Tomah company, is regimental quartermaster.

**Today's Scores**  
The officers of the Third regiment are having pistol practice this afternoon and the volley scores are as follows: Company M, 305; Company B, 334; Company S, 343; Company D, 327; Company A, 339; Company F, 228; Company L, 213; Company K, 350.

## STORK RUNS RACE WITH STREET CAR

CHICAGO, July 13.—The stork ran a race with the street car today. It won and then blockaded all cars in front of the city hall for half an hour. Mrs. John Rouloff was being taken to the Michael Reese hospital by a trained nurse in a street car when the stork came. The nurse informed the conductor the bird was close at hand. He put the passengers off, notified a mounted policeman who summoned a physician from police headquarters at the city hall. While the throng in the street was wondering what was happening a ten pound girl was born. The police ambulance carried the mother and child to the hospital. Both are reported as doing well.

## SALEM SALOON CASE ADJOURNED

The case of the state versus Frank Rommel, of West Salem, has been adjourned until Wednesday. The case will be heard before Judge Brindley. The defendant who is a liquor dealer is charged with selling liquor without a license. He had been refused a license on the grounds that he was not a citizen, having failed to take out his papers. This failed to make much of an impression on him as he went ahead and sold liquor without a license, which resulted in his arrest. Defendant's wife has since secured a license and the saloon is at present being conducted by Mrs. Rommel.

## RECORDS BROKEN IN OLYMPIC GAMES

NEW YORKER TAKES FIRST HEAT IN 1500 METER RUN

## KINGS AND MASSES THERE

Great Athletic Event Opens in England With American Team Picked as Probable First

LONDON, July 13.—In the presence of three kings and many lesser royalties and a crowd of nearly a hundred thousand, the Olympic games were begun in the stadium at 3 o'clock this afternoon in a drenching rain. The weather didn't mar the enthusiasm and there was tremendous cheering as the 2,500 athletes of 30 nations passed in review before King Edward.

The American team of ninety, which is looked upon as a probable winner, headed the parade.

The king entered the royal box over a path strewn with roses, and bowed acknowledgement to the tremendous applause. Lord Desborough stepped forward and asked the king to formally open the Fourth Olympiad. A fanfare of trumpets followed and the king made the inaugural address. He expressed the hope the meet would be conducted with absolute fairness and that the best team would win.

The athletes in scanty field garb, each carrying their national standard, circled the field to the music of the British anthem. It was expected the preliminaries would take nearly all afternoon, but as the king was desirous of seeing the actual start, so soon as possible the first heat of the 1,500 meter event was called.

Everything points to a successful meet. The stadium seats 68,000 and has standing room for 23,000 additional. In addition accommodations may be found for 50,000 in the strip field surrounding the field. The prices range from 25c to \$5 for the afternoon performances and about half this for the mornings. The contests will be held under the rules of A. A. of Great Britain, which will handicap the Americans in at least one event, as they don't permit a pole vaulter to dig a hole for his pole.

LONDON, July 13.—J. P. Sullivan, of the Irish-American club, New York, was first, and J. D. Lightbody, Chicago, second, in the first heat of the 1,500 meter run. Sullivan's time was 4 minutes and 73.5 seconds. Lightbody's was 4 minutes and 82.5 seconds.

Meadows of Canada was third in the first heat. In the second heat, Melville Shephard of the Irish-American club of New York was first; J. P. Halstead of New York Athletic club, second; Butterfield of England, third. Time, 4:05.

In the first heat of the 400 meter swim, Battersby, England, was first; Lastores of Hungary, second, and Goodwin, New York Athletic club, third. Time, 5:48.

The third heat of the 1,500 meter run was won by N. F. Hallows of England, with Laughli, Italy, second. F. H. Riley, of the Irish-American team, did not finish. Time, 4:03 2-5. This is two seconds faster than the record. The second heat of the 400 meter swim was taken by Foster, of England, in 5:04 4-5.

## FAMOUS BEAUTY IN AUTO WRECK

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 13.—An auto containing five of the most prominent society young people in Louisville plunged through a broken bridge over Salt river early today. Every member of the party was injured seriously, though it is believed all will recover.

The bridge had been wrecked by a recent storm. Several of the men were caught under the car as it fell into the water and rocks. No help being near the members dragged themselves to the bank where they lay until daylight.

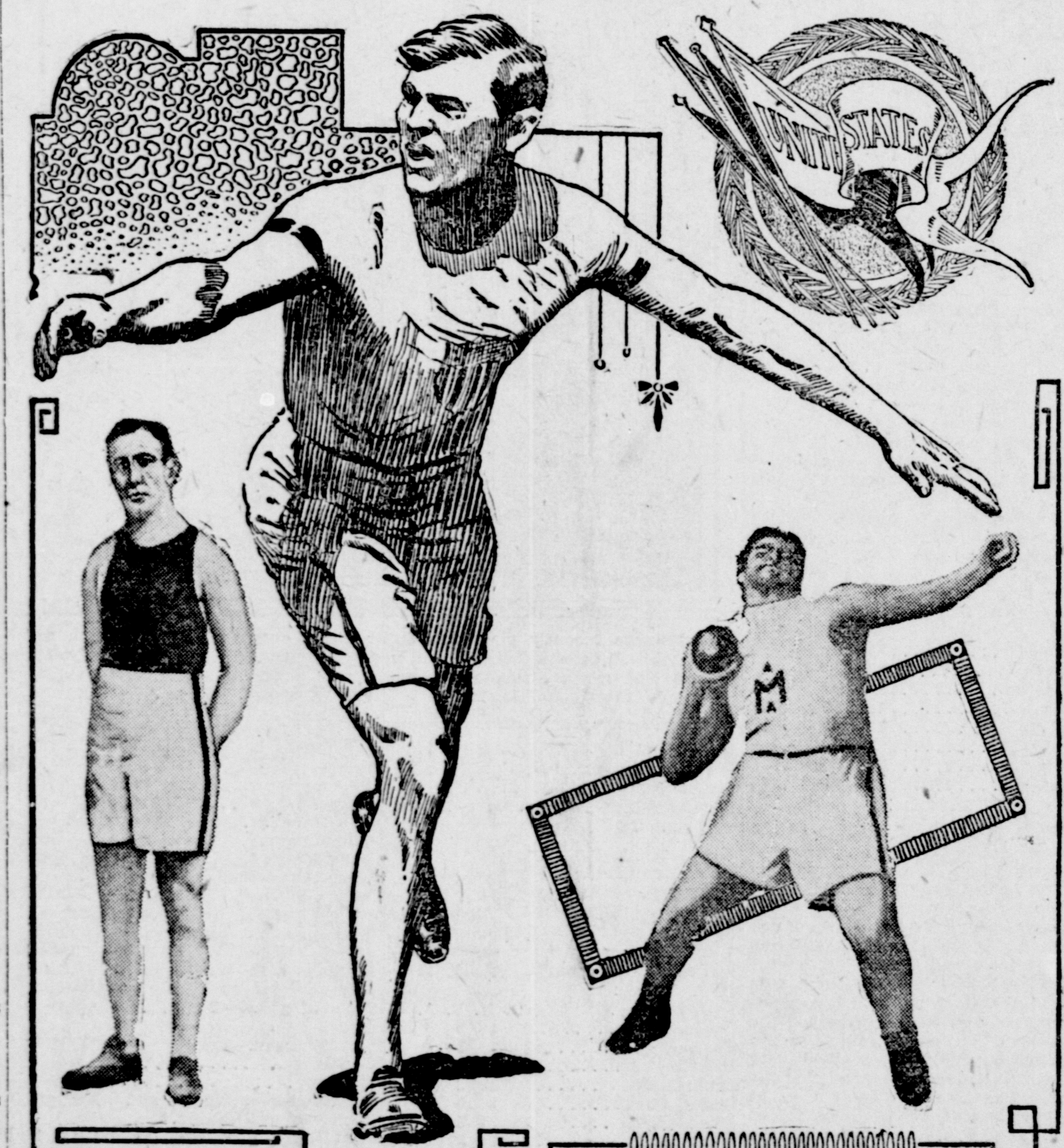
The injured are Richard M. Bowls, Shirley Bonnie, Carl Wiskman, Miss Elizabeth Shirley, Mrs. Bonnie and Sam Ball, the chauffeur. Miss Shirley is a famous Kentucky beauty, who created a sensation in the east, being the pet at Newport and guest of the Vanderbilts. The party was returning from Mammoth Cave.

## CHILD DIES OF HEART FAILURE

William Nagle, the six-year-old son of William and Sojha Nagle of La Crosse, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents of heart failure, superinduced by diphtheria.

The funeral was held this morning, interment being made in the Pine Creek Catholic cemetery.

## AMERICA A SURE WINNER IN THE OLYMPIC GAMES THIS WEEK



Wesley Coe of California at right, who represents America in the weight events; Nat J. Cartmell of Pennsylvania university, one of America's strong runners, at left.

## GEE, THIS BEATS THE MERRY WIDOW

LINCOLN GIRLS WEAR BRYAN ON THEIR STOCKINGS

## WIND REVEALS THE SECRET

Festive Gust Catches Up Skirts and Newest Fad Is Revealed in Dainty Embroidery

LINCOLN, Neb., July 13.—A windstorm which tore up things around the city has served to disclose a new fad which Lincoln young women have taken up. The wind showed they embroidered on their hosiery portraits of great men, past and present. One girl whose skirts were caught by the wind had pictures of Washington, Bryan and Taft on her stockings. She said: "All the girls are taking up the idea."

## FIGHT OVER A STATE SINECURE

MADISON, Wis., July 13.—(Special.)—A merry fight has been started here after the position of pension agent. C. H. Russell of Berlin has announced his candidacy for congress. Now John M. Nelson, present congressman, brings John C. Martin of Mineral Point forward as a candidate after Russell's position. Martin filed an application with the governor today. Russell immediately issued a counter statement saying he did not intend to resign until nominated for congress, and at the same time Russell's friends take a shot at Martin's war record in a statement that Martin did not enlist until August 26, 1864, and served as division headquarter teamster, and was in the service only nine months and 27 days.

## "DRYS" TO RIDE ON WATER WAGON

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 13.—Delegations to the national prohibition convention, beginning here Wednesday, upon their arrival here, will be met by a waterwagon drawn by four white horses and escorted to their respective hotels by the Fourth Regiment band. There now are eight prohibition states in the union and each of the horses to the water wagon will wear a canvas bearing the names of two states.

## ATTACKS GIRLS; TRIES TO SUICIDE

WESTBY EX-DRUNKARD GOES ON ANOTHER SPREE

## TOTS RESCUED FROM ROOM

Chris Halvorsen Then Tries to End His Life in His Cell—Will Be Sentenced Tomorrow

Considerable excitement prevailed at Westby yesterday afternoon when Chris Halvorsen, single, aged 46 and a painter of that place, attempted to assault two daughters, aged 8 and 10 years old, of Marvin Hagen, a citizen of Westby.

Halvorsen enticed the girls to his room on the pretense of showing them some pictures. The screams of the girls attracted the attention of some of the nearby residents and they rushed to their assistance. Halvorsen was locked up in the jail at Westby and Sheriff Silsbaugh of Viroqua was summoned.

When the news spread around the town a large crowd of citizens of Westby gathered and a number of ugly threats were made, but they were finally dispersed by the authorities.

Halvorsen is thought to be insane. He made an attempt to commit suicide in his cell by hanging himself. He took the Keely cure a year ago, the citizens of Westby having raised the price by subscription, and recently he has taken to drinking again, so it is thought that his mind is deranged. He was taken to Viroqua, and will plead guilty before Justice Pollard. He will be taken before Judge Fruit for sentence tomorrow afternoon.

The penalty for such cases is from 5 to 20 years imprisonment.

## YOUNG GIRL IN BRAVE RESCUE

PORTLAND, Ore., July 13.—Cora Hosford, aged 14, proved a heroine yesterday by rescuing her father and uncle, and then securing the corpse of her cousin, who drowned while bathing with a party.

The men had become exhausted trying to save the other girl.

## LA CROSSE TEAMING CO. INCORPORATES

MADISON, Wis., July 13.—(Special.)—Articles of incorporation of the La Crosse Teaming company were filed today. The capital is \$5,000 and the incorporators are J. D. Becker, T. B. McGrath and E. S. Mead.

## WARSHIPS WILL BE SENT TO SCENES

PRESIDENT DECIDES TO HOLD TO HOLD CASTRO IN AWE

## HONDURAS TO BE VISITED TOO

Important Conference Held at Sagamore Hill Today Between Officials of the Government

AMERICAN warships to keep Castro and the warring republics of Central America in proper awe of Uncle Sam, is the probable result of a conference at Sagamore Hill today.

The president, Secretary Root and his assistant and Secretary Baron, discussed the situation of Venezuela and Honduras at great length and it was decided measures be taken at once to protect American interests in the neighborhoods of threatened trouble.

## Panama Election Quiet.

PANAMA, July 13.—Reports from all over the isthmus today show yesterday's presidential election in which Jose Domingo Obaldia was the only candidate, passed off without any disturbance. But few friends of Senator Arias, who withdrew a few days ago, went to the polls. The vote was unusually small, and there was no need of the hundreds of U. S. marines, they will be removed immediately.

Obaldia was formerly minister to the United States and succeeds President Amador.

He is 63, well educated and immensely wealthy.

## THAW HEARING AGAIN DELAYED

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., July 13.—Without deciding whether or not Thaw shall have a jury trial on his sanity, Justice Mills today adjourned the hearing on application, for that privilege until the third Monday in September. Meanwhile he sent Thaw back to the Poughkeepsie jail. The justice first favored Jerome's plan of sending Thaw back to Matewan, but finally decided on placing him in the custody of the sheriff of Dutchess county.

## COMPLETE STREET

The work of macadamizing Kane street on the north side was completed this morning and the steam roller has been moved to the south side, where it will start work on Vine street.

## TRADE BOOMERS ON A TWO DAY'S TRIP

MANUFACTURERS AND JOBBERS LEAVE ON LA CROSSE

## STOPS MADE AT TWO CITIES

Trempealeau Mayor Addresses the Visitors and Winona is Viewed During Noon Hour Descent

With every condition ideal from arrangements down to the weather, the representatives of the La Crosse Manufacturers' and Jobbers' union left the city this morning on the steamer La Crosse on a two days' trip on the river in the interests of business and pleasure. At 7:30 the excursionists started to arrive at the levee and by 8 o'clock the scheduled time for departure, about thirty-five representatives were aboard the boat. A few, however, lagged along and it was nearly 8:30 before the gang plank was raised and the excursionists were enroute.

While waiting at the levee Photographer Pryor appeared on the scene and a snap shot was taken of the delegation just about as they were to leave. All the manufacturers, jobbers and their representatives were arranged about the bow of the boat when the picture was taken. Finally after telephoning for a few of the slow ones, everything was in readiness and the boat was off.

The first stop was made at Trempealeau. While the boat was landing, Secretary Calvert took the chair and announced that owing to the lateness in getting started the stop at the bay city would have to be shortened and warned all the excursionists unless they appeared when the signal was given they would be left behind. After marching up the Main street, Mayor A. E. Gibbs was introduced by Secretary Calvert. His honor delivered a short address, apologizing for the predicament that he was found in, being discovered in a distant farm hoeing corn, and added that the reason for his not being at the levee to meet the visitors was the fact that he had not been notified that the representatives were to pay that Trempealeau a visit. After his address of welcome the party was turned over to ex-Sheriff N. J. Nelson, who escorted them through the city and constituted a committee of entertainment. While at Trempealeau, George Rose and Attorney Jesse Higbee, who are camping at Trempealeau Bay, came down in their launch and paid the excursionists a visit.

Leaving Trempealeau at 10:30 and proceeding to Winona they arrived just at noon and the entire party left the boat in various directions to scour the town for excitement. On leaving the boat most of the party walked about the streets, which at the noon hour, they reported by wire, were about like La Crosse on a rainy day.

The boat stopped at Winona until 1:30, when the trip was resumed and dinner will be served. The trip after leaving La Crosse was especially marked by featureless exploits. Most of the party were busy discussing the Saengerfest and admiring the scenery. Only once was the quietness marred, this happening when the dumb waiter tumbled over and spilt a quantity of refreshments that was being sent to the second deck. The Saengerfest was the principal topic of interest on the trip and several surprises were framed up for the various cities enroute. These will be sprung on their customers on request of the advertising committee.

## The Schedule.

The schedule to be followed by the steamer La Crosse, conveying the excursionists will be as follows:  
La Crosse—Leave 8:00 a. m.  
Trempealeau—Arrive 9:30 a. m.; leave 10:15 a. m.; time at city, 45 minutes.  
Winona—Arrive 11:30 a. m.; leave 1:00 p. m.; time at city, 1 1/2 hours.  
Fountain City—Arrive 1:50 p. m.; leave 2:50 p. m.; time at city, 1 hour.  
Minneka—Arrive 4:10 p. m.; leave 4:40 p. m.; time at city 30 minutes.  
Alma—Arrive 6:00 p. m.; leave 7:00 p. m.; time at city 1 hour.  
Wabasha—Arrive 8:00 p. m.; remain all night leave July 14th 9:00 a. m.  
Pepin—Arrive 10:00 a. m.; leave 10:30 a. m.; time at city, 30 minutes.  
Lake City—Arrive 11:00 a. m.; leave 12:00 m.; time at city, 1 hour.  
Stockholm—Arrive 12:15 p. m.; leave 12:45 p. m.; time at city 30 minutes.  
Maiden Rock—Arrive 1:30 p. m.; leave 2:00 p. m.; time at city, 30 minutes.  
Red Wing—Arrive 3:30 p. m.; leave 4:00 p. m.; time at city 1 hour or more.

## The Excursionists

Among the guests on the excursion were: A. E. Thompson, James Hagan, Jr., A. L. Miller, L. H. Martin, C. Tarbox, Harry Hirschheimer, E. F. Miller, B. Trepte, Harvey West, A. S. Farnham, O. J. Sorenson, John Langdon, C. L. Michel, R. H. Sisson, J. J. Hegge, Henry Kroner, A. C.

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## GOMPERS VOTES AND WORKS FOR BRYAN

LABOR CHIEF SAYS DEMOCRATS OFFER ONLY JUSTICE

## REPUBLICANS SCOFFED LABOR

Democratic Committee to Meet and Name Campaign Manager; Won't Attack Roosevelt

LINCOLN, Neb., July 13.—Lincoln is looking forward with great interest in the coming tomorrow of the new democratic national committee, for a consultation with Bryan. The name of the new campaign manager will then be made public. A number of delegations visited Bryan yesterday and today. Roosevelt and his policies will be let severely alone by the democrats during the campaign. This has been decided on by Bryan, following a statement by Bell, of California, that if the president was attacked the democrats would lose California.

Gompers already has his sword unsheathed in the interests of Bryan and the democratic platform, he said:

"I will vote for Bryan and make every honorable effort to elect him. We ask also what is fair and just and no special privileges. Justice and equality are God given. I am not a democratic partisan. I was once a republican, but the republican party repudiates and rejects all that has heart throbs in it, together with the principles of justice and equality."

"The democrats in convention have declared for this justice. I speak only for myself, however, and won't predict how the labor vote will go. I am entirely satisfied with the labor plank and the democratic platform."

Asked whether the organization would take up an active fight against Cannon he replied, winking, that he hadn't reached Illinois yet.

## Kern Visits Bryan.

Kern, the candidate for vice president, was given an ovation all along the route to Fairview today, immense crowds lining the street to cheer him. Bryan walked down to the Fairview street car station at noon to greet Kern and Gompers.

"How's the vice president?" was Bryan's greeting.

Bryan linked his arm in Kern's and together they headed the little procession to the Bryan mansion.

The party sat out on the lawn but were driven inside by the rain.

## BRYAN WILL WIN NEW YORK SAYS TAMMANY CHIEF

NEW YORK, July 13.—"Bryan will carry New York," said Chas. F. Murphy, the "big chief" of Tammany, when with a score of subjects and chiefs he reached New York today after a visit with Bryan in Lincoln. "I had five minutes' conversation with Bryan," continued Murphy, "but we didn't go deeply into the New York situation. Bryan, I may say, doesn't seem to think there is a possibility of defeat."

## Weather and Water



Cooler at La Crosse, 64; warmest, 76; wind, 4 miles; rainfall .06. Extremes in United States: San Francisco and Santa Fe, 54; Phoenix, 104. The river will continue to fall. Stage of water at La Crosse, 10.4, a fall of 4 foot; at Prairie du Chien, 13.4; stationary. Weather forecasts today: Wisconsin—Partly cloudy with showers tonight and in southeast portion Tuesday; cooler. Minnesota—Fair tonight and Tuesday; cooler tonight. Iowa—Partly cloudy with probably showers tonight or Tuesday; cooler.



## LA CROSSE THEATRE

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OLYMPIC TENNIS  
GOES TO RITCHIE

WIMBLEDON, July 13.—The singles in the lawn tennis match in connection with the Olympic games was concluded here. J. C. Ritchie, the English player, won the gold medal. Ritchie's score was 3-0. Mrs. Lambert Chambers, who was defeated in 1907 by May Sutton of California, for the British championship, won the gold medal in the ladies' singles.

Take the world as it is, not as it is to be.—Irish.

SPORTING  
NOTESCUBS BREAK EVEN  
WITH PHILADELPHIABOTH GAMES ARE OF THE  
WHITEWASH VARIETY

## BROOKLYN BEATS CARDINALS

Brewers Lose Both Games of Double  
Header to the Saints—Millers  
Win from Mud Hens

Games Today  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
Minneapolis in Milwaukee.  
St. Paul in Kansas City.  
Louisville in Columbus.  
Indianapolis in Toledo.

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Chicago in Philadelphia.  
St. Louis in Washington.  
Detroit in Boston.  
Cleveland in New York.

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Boston in Cincinnati.  
Brooklyn in Cincinnati.  
Brooklyn in St. Louis.  
New York in Pittsburgh.  
Philadelphia in Chicago.

Yesterday's Results  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
St. Paul, 2-4; Milwaukee, 1-3.  
Indianapolis, 3; Louisville, 1.  
Kansas City, 5; Minneapolis, 4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
No games scheduled.  
NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Chicago, 3-0; Philadelphia, 0-2.  
Boston, 4; Cincinnati, 0.  
Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 2.

Saturday's Results  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
St. Paul, 12; Milwaukee, 4.  
Minneapolis, 10-6; Kansas City, 4-3.

Columbus, 3; Toledo, 0.  
Indianapolis, 3; Louisville, 1.  
AMERICAN LEAGUE  
Boston, 7; Detroit, 3.  
New York, 3-3; Cleveland, 2-2.  
Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 4 (16  
innings).

Washington, 4; St. Louis, 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE  
Pittsburgh, 6; New York, 2.  
Cincinnati, 3; Boston, 2.  
Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 2.  
Brooklyn, 1; St. Louis, 0.

Club Standings  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	54	32	.628
Louisville	49	36	.576
Toledo	47	37	.559
Columbus	46	40	.535
Minneapolis	41	40	.506
Milwaukee	38	49	.437
Kansas City	36	51	.414
St. Paul	29	55	.345

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	44	31	.587
St. Louis	44	31	.587
Chicago	42	33	.560
Cleveland	41	34	.547
Philadelphia	36	36	.500
Boston	34	41	.453
Washington	28	45	.384
New York	29	47	.382

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	45	29	.608
Pittsburgh	46	30	.605
New York	43	32	.573
Cincinnati	40	37	.514
Philadelphia	32	37	.463
Boston	34	42	.448
Brooklyn	29	43	.403
St. Louis	28	47	.373

In a double header at Chicago yesterday the Cubs broke even with Philadelphia. Both teams administered a shutout in turn. The defeat of the Cubs in the second game brought them to within three points of Pittsburgh, their nearest competitor. Brooklyn defeated the Cardinals in a sensational ninth inning rally by the score of 3 to 2. Knottch got one hit at four times up. Boston shut out the Reds by the score of 3 to 0.

In the American association yesterday the Brewers lost a double header to the Saints. Indianapolis defeated Louisville and Kansas City defeated the Millers in the ninth inning by the score of 5 to 4.

American Association Games  
At St. Paul—1st game—R H E  
St. Paul . . . 00100010—2 6 4  
Milwaukee . . . 00010000—1 8 0  
Batteries—Gehring and Laughlin; Manske and Beville.

Second game—R H E  
St. Paul . . . 000013—4 8 0  
Milwaukee . . . 000003—3 7 3  
Batteries—LeRoy and Laughlin; Bateman and Roth.

At Louisville—R H E  
Louisville . . . 00000010—1 6 1  
Indianapolis . . . 00001001—3 9 1  
Batteries—Puttmann and Pietz; Marquard, Hawley and Livingston.

Minneapolis . . . 20001010—4 10 3  
Kan. City . . . 000013001—5 5 1  
At Minneapolis—R H E  
Batteries—Oberlin and Buelow; Brandon and Sullivan.

National League Games  
At Chicago, 1st game—R H E  
Chicago . . . 00010020—3 8 1  
Philadelphia . . . 00000000—0 4 3  
Batteries—Ruelbach and Moran; Richie and Doolin.

Second game—R H E  
Chicago . . . 00000000—0 0 1  
Philadelphia . . . 02000000—2 8 0  
Batteries—Peister, Lundgren and Moran; Corridan and Jackitche.

At St. Louis—R H E  
St. Louis . . . 01000010—2 5 4  
Brooklyn . . . 000100101—3 5 1  
Batteries—Salice, Bliss and Ludwig; Bell and Bergen.

At Cincinnati—R H E  
Cincinnati . . . 00000000—0 5 3  
Boston . . . 02000000—4 8 0  
Batteries—Doeschner, Ruben and Schiel; McCarthy and Smith.

LA CROSSE TAKES  
THE SUNDAY GAMEDEFEAT FONDU IN LAST OF  
THE SERIES

## WALLOPED ON SATURDAY

Locals Are Still Some Distance Behind  
Freeport and Wausau in the Percentage Column

Games Today.  
Rockford in Fond du Lac.  
Freeport in Oshkosh.  
Madison in Green Bay.  
La Crosse in Wausau.

Yesterday's Results.  
Oshkosh, 2; Madison, 0.  
La Crosse, 7; Fond du Lac, 5.  
Green Bay, 7; Freeport, 2.

Saturday's Results.  
Madison, 8; Oshkosh, 0.  
Freeport, 2; Green Bay, 1.  
Rockford, 4; Wausau, 3.  
Fond du Lac, 5; La Crosse, 1.

Club Standings.  
W. L. Pct.  
Freeport . . . 35 22 .617  
Wausau . . . 32 29 .616  
La Crosse . . . 30 24 .556  
Madison . . . 29 27 .518  
Fond du Lac . . . 29 30 .492  
Rockford . . . 23 32 .420  
Green Bay . . . 25 35 .417  
Oshkosh . . . 22 35 .386

FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 13.—(Special.)—Hawley's bunch took Sunday's game in the ninth inning after it had already been chalked up in the percent column. With the score standing 6 to 4 in favor of the locals, La Crosse started a rally and assisted by a bad "heave" into the crowd by Pitcher Parish, three men crossed the plate winning the game.

La Crosse was unable to cross the plate until the sixth inning, when an error by Zacker, coupled with hits sent in three scores, and tied the game. The locals in their turn at the inning sent three more across the plate. In the eighth inning the visitors scored one man and then in the ninth the fatality came and gave the last of the series to Hawley's crowd. Eberly was in the box for the visitors and pitched good ball, striking out eleven men. Parish was on the rubber for Fondy and lost his own game.

The score:  
Fond du Lac. R. H. P. A. E.  
Kroy, cf . . . 1 1 2 0 0  
Lynch, ss . . . 1 1 2 0 0  
Schaub, lf . . . 0 0 0 0 0  
Stang, c . . . 1 2 8 0 0  
McDonnell, 3b . . . 1 2 0 3 0  
Zackert, rf . . . 1 1 2 1 1  
Crockett, 1b . . . 1 0 12 0 0  
Wisser, 2b . . . 0 0 2 4 0  
Parish, p . . . 0 0 0 3 2  
Watson . . . 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 7 10 27 13 3  
La Crosse. R. H. P. A. E.  
Safford, cf . . . 1 0 1 0 0  
Bond, 2b . . . 2 6 1 0 0  
Becker, ss . . . 3 0 1 1 0  
Bues, 3b . . . 1 1 1 1 0  
Duchien, rf . . . 0 0 0 0 1  
Eberly, p . . . 0 1 1 4 1  
Killian, c . . . 0 2 11 0 0  
Tracey, 1b . . . 0 0 5 1 1  
Graves, lf . . . 0 0 1 0 0  
Hawley . . . 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 7 6 27 8 2  
\*\*Watson batted for Parish.  
\*\*Hawley batted for Graves in ninth.

Fond du Lac . . . 11003000—6  
La Crosse . . . 000003013—7  
Summary: Two base hits Stang, Becker, Eberly. Stolen bases—Lynch, Crockett. Sacrifice hits—Lynch, Schaub, Wisser. Bases on balls—Off Parish, 4; off Eberly, 1. Struck out—By Parish, 8; by Eberly, 11. Double play—Zackert to Crockett. Time—1:45. Umpire—List.

Oshkosh, 2; Madison, 0.  
OSHKOSH, Wis., July 13.—Oshkosh won from Madison yesterday, after half a dozen defeats in succession. It was a pitchers' battle. The score:

Oshkosh. R. H. P. A. E.  
Bauer, cf . . . 1 2 0 0 0  
Anklam, 2b . . . 0 1 2 3 2  
Dolan, 3b . . . 1 0 1 3 0  
Johnson, lf . . . 0 1 2 0 0  
Curtis, 1b . . . 0 1 11 2 0  
Vogt, ss . . . 0 1 3 2 0  
Warren, c . . . 0 0 5 0 0  
Coates, rf . . . 0 0 0 0 0  
Converse, p . . . 0 0 3 4 0

Totals . . . 2 6 27 16 2  
Madison. R. H. P. A. E.  
Howell, cf . . . 0 0 3 0 0  
Liese, lf . . . 0 1 2 0 1  
Letcher, rf . . . 0 0 2 0 0  
Whitmore, 1b . . . 3 1 9 1 0  
Mee, 2b . . . 0 2 1 4 0  
Armstrong, 3b . . . 0 1 1 1 0  
Cook, ss . . . 0 0 3 3 0  
K'wall, c . . . 0 0 3 0 1  
Steele, p . . . 0 1 0 1 0

Totals . . . 6 24 10 2  
Crockett, rf . . . 0 0 0 0 0  
Madison . . . 00000000—0  
Summary: Two base hit—Mee. Hit

Cincinnati . . . 00000000—0 5 3  
Boston . . . 02000000—4 8 0  
Batteries—Doeschner, Ruben and Schiel; McCarthy and Smith.

## DRIVING AN AUTO TWO MILES A MINUTE



Nazzaro recently made the fastest time ever accomplished with an automobile. In the third lap of a special competition race between D'Arcy Baker, who drove a Napier car, and Nazzaro, who drove a Fiat, he made the phenomenal time and thereby won a prize of \$2,500.

by pitched ball—Dolan. Struck out—By Steele, 2; by Converse, 4. Stolen bases—Dolan 2. Sacrifice hits—Anklam, Armstrong. Umpire—Bush. Time—1:20.

Green Bay, 7; Freeport, 2.  
GREEN BAY, Wis., July 13.—Green Bay knocked two pitchers out of the box yesterday and won easily, 7 to 2. Miller secured the league's record for strikeouts, getting fourteen. Score:

Green Bay. R. H. P. A. E.  
Boyle, 2b . . . 1 0 1 0 0  
Carroll, cf . . . 1 1 1 0 0  
Putnam, rf . . . 2 1 2 0 0  
Hammond, ss . . . 1 2 1 0 0  
Sacks, 3b . . . 0 1 0 2 0  
McAuley, 1b . . . 1 2 5 1 1  
Kernan, lf . . . 1 1 3 0 0  
Johnson, c . . . 0 1 14 0 0  
Miller, p . . . 0 1 0 1 0

Totals . . . 7 10 27 6 1  
Freeport. R. H. P. A. E.  
Ives, cf . . . 0 0 2 0 0  
Fleming, lf . . . 0 1 3 4 0  
Ireland, lf . . . 0 0 5 0 0  
Fliske . . . 0 0 3 0 0  
Barlow, 1b . . . 0 1 1 0 0  
Rouse, rf . . . 1 1 2 1 0  
Harrod, 3b . . . 0 0 1 0 0  
Stark, c . . . 0 0 2 1 0  
Lanon, c . . . 0 0 6 0 0  
Schoonhoven, 2b . . . 0 0 2 1 0  
Scott, p . . . 0 0 0 0 0  
Cummings, p . . . 1 0 0 1 1  
Darrah, p . . . 0 0 2 0 0

Totals . . . 2 4 27 9 1  
Green Bay . . . 11050000—7  
Freeport . . . 01100000—2

Summary: Home runs—Rouse, McAuley. Three base hits—Kernan, Putnam. Two base hits—Hammond, Cummings, Johnson. Bases on balls—Off Scott, 1; off Cummings, 3; off Darrah, 3. Left on bases—Green Bay, 9; Freeport, 8. Struck out—By Miller, 14; by Darrah, 3; by Cummings, 3; by Scott, 1. Hit by pitcher—Putnam, Johnson, Hammond. Time of game—1:55. Umpire—Fuller.

Saturday's Game.  
FOND DU LAC, Wis., July 13.—(Special.)—Fondy won the second of the series Saturday from La Crosse, taking the game by the score of 5 to 2. Inability to get a hit at opportune times lost the game for the visitors. Leize was in the box for the locals and was invincible, holding the Hawley bunch down at all critical times.

In the eighth inning La Crosse was the first man up and singled. Eberly then batted for Graves and pounded out a double. Killian was sent in for Baillies and duplicated Eberly's work and brought in two scores. Hawley batted for Safford and Leize tightened up, retiring the side.

Nicholson was given his first try out and failed to make much of an impression. Baillies, who pitched the first part of the game was in poor form and in eight innings pegged seven men.

The score:  
La Crosse. R. H. P. A. E.  
Safford, cf . . . 0 0 1 0 0  
Bond, 2b . . . 0 1 2 2 1  
Bues, 3b . . . 0 2 0 1 0  
Duchien, rf . . . 0 0 4 0 0  
Graves, lf . . . 0 0 2 0 0  
Harms, c . . . 0 1 5 0 0  
Baillies, p . . . 0 1 0 1 0  
Eberly, lf . . . 1 1 0 0 0  
Killian, c . . . 0 1 0 0 0  
Nicholson, p . . . 0 0 0 0 1

Totals . . . 2 8 24 6 2  
Fond du Lac. R. H. P. A. E.  
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Lynch, ss . . . 1 1 2 1 0  
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Wisser, 2b . . . 0 1 2 3 0  
Leize, p . . . 0 0 2 3 0

Totals . . . 5 8 27 10 2

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No old sore can heal until the cause which produces it has been removed. External applications of salves, washes, lotions, etc., may reduce the inflammation and assist in keeping the place clean, but cannot cure the trouble because they do not reach its source. Old sores exist because the blood is infected with impurities and poisons which are constantly being discharged into the place. The nerves, tissues and fibres of the flesh are kept in a state of irritation and disease by being daily fed with the germ-laden matter through the circulation, making it impossible for the sore to heal. S. S. S. cures chronic sores by its purifying action on the blood. It goes down into the circulation, and removes the poison-producing germs, impurities and morbid matters which are responsible for the failure of the place to heal. S. S. S. makes the blood pure, fresh and healthy; then as new, rich blood is carried to the spot the healing process begins, all discharge ceases, the inflammation leaves, new tissue begins to form, the place fills in with firm, healthy flesh, and soon the sore is permanently cured. S. S. S. is purely vegetable, the safest and best blood purifier for young or old. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

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## LANSING'S MOST SUCCESSFUL

West Salem Next to Invite Old Residents  
to Gather; Paper on  
Subject of Interest

In view of the big success of the Lansing, Iowa, "homecoming," the fact that West Salem has announced a similar undertaking for this fall, and the general interest in these events throughout this section of the country just now, the following paper read by A. C. Glidden of Cedar Springs, Mich., before the Grand River Valley Horticultural society, and published in the Michigan Tradesman, will be of interest:

"The first day is given over to arrivals and registering at headquarters and the evening to a reception in a public hall, where a welcoming address, music and talks from the 'stranger within the gates' make a most enjoyable occasion.

"The second day is usually devoted to visiting the old homesteads, trains carrying large loads starting at a given time on the main roads leading out of the town and make calls at every place which anyone of the party desires to visit.

"The third day is the old fashioned picnic. The fourth may be given over to sports on the public square. Special service is prepared at each of the churches on Sunday. The evening entertainments may be varied to consist of the old fashioned spelling school, old fashioned dance and what may be termed a progressive reception. For this the company assembles at a designated home in the village, and when all have arrived a leader orders a march led by the band and the company is marshaled along the street for a block or more to another hospitable home, and so on until several commodious and conspicuous houses have been visited, closing at the last with an entertainment of some character.

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"No event awakens more enthusiasm among the local inhabitants or gives the visiting friends more pleasure than a properly organized home coming enterprise. It advertises the town and makes of it a more desirable place of residence. A local agricultural fair, a Fourth of July celebration or even a street fair is an ambition to which most towns aspire and frequently attempt, but a home coming week is attended with much less expense. The responsibility is more widely distributed and there are no depredations from the irresponsible or vicious class which all the other varieties of attraction substantially invite. Even the prodigal, who has been spending his substance in riotous living, reclothes himself in decency in both the inner and the outer man when he returns to meet and to mingle with the friends of his early days, so that a home town celebration tends toward higher social standards, cultivates the virtue of hospitality and promotes good fellowship among all classes of people."

"All the earlier poets, from Chaucer down, reflect this sentiment of home coming. Nearer to our own time the themes that live and are on every lip are those pertaining to home life and its surroundings.

"How dear to my heart are the scenes of my childhood  
When fond recollection presents them to view—  
The orchard, the meadow, the deep tangled wildwood  
And every loved spot which my infancy knew."

"It must have been this home instinct of the homeless Payne that set this lonesome heart a-singing that universal melody of 'Home, Sweet, Sweet Home.'

"Thomas Bailey Aldrich says of the little Piscataqua river, along whose banks his boyhood days had been passed:  
"Thou singest by the gleaming isle,  
By the woods and fields of corn;  
Thou singest and the sunlight smiles  
Upon my birthday morn."

But, I within a city,  
So full of vague unrest,  
Would almost give my life to lie  
An hour upon thy breast,  
And some anonymous poet has  
"feelingly said:  
"Home's not merely four square walls,  
Though with pictures hung and  
gilded;  
Home is where affection calls;  
Home's the shrine the heart has  
built."

Home! go ask the carrier dove  
Fleeting through the vault above us.  
Home is where there are those to love;  
Home is where there are those to love us."

"And so the swimming holes of boyhood and the lilac blooming lawns of girlhood lure us all toward that charmed land of our early life, and it is no wonder that companies and groups of men and women converge toward the home town for a week's celebration.

"I am not able to state where this home coming celebration first had its flowering and fruitage; but some where in New England. Thence it spread to New York. The first home coming week for this state was celebrated at Paw Paw five years ago in August and preparation for the sixth is now well underway. To make it an assured success it must be an annual affair. Those whose business prevented attendance this year resolve and prepare to be present at the next event, where they are assured of meeting many long-time friends whom they would perhaps never see except for this happy occasion when kindred longings for a

visit to the old homesteads have brought them there happily together. "It must not be expected that this 'vague unrest' and longing for early companionship will prompt the migratory instinct into a spontaneous and timely visit from widely scattered individuals. There must be a local enthusiasm to extend an invitation and prepare for the reception of these prodigals on their return to their 'father's house' on the event of the home town celebration. There must be committees on reception, on entertainment, on decoration, on finance and on program, for, if a whole week is given over to festivities, something must be provided for entertaining the guests continuously.

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Remember The Saengerfest, La Crosse, Wis., July 23, 24, 25 and 26.

STATE POLITICS.

(Fred L. Holmes, Madison, Wis.)

In a signed statement Col. W. C. Brumder of Milwaukee announces he will not be a candidate for lieutenant governor on the republican ticket.

He says he has concluded he "can render better services to the party and to the state by continuing in the capacity of a private citizen in the field of journalism."

James F. Trotman of Milwaukee, recently appointed a member of the board of university regents, and Prof. Voss, the well known university German lecturer, are now mentioned for the position of lieutenant governor to succeed Mr. Connor.

D. D. Conway of Grand Rapids, who was urged by many democrats for the position on the railroad rate commission about a year ago, will announce his candidacy in a few days as a candidate for the nomination of attorney general on the democratic ticket.

Harvey Brown, the social democratic candidate for governor, is making a tour of the state speaking in nearly every large city in the interest of his candidacy and of the socialistic cause.

An attempt is being made to patch up a truce between the rival factions in the democratic party in the state to leave the field clear for Mr. Aylward of Madison, who has already announced himself as a candidate for the nomination as governor. T. J. Cunningham of Chippewa Falls is now spoken of as a possible candidate for secretary of state on the "harmony" ticket and Byron B. Parks of Stevens Point it is said will not be a candidate for governor owing to business reasons.

Congressman John S. Sherman of New York, the republican vice presidential nominee, has sent a note to Congressman Kuessermann of Green Bay thanking him for his congratulating him on his success.

Hatton headquarters for the eleventh district will be established in Superior in charge of Senator George B. Hudnall, W. H. Crampton and Henry B. Evans.

Managers of S. A. Cook, candidate for the United States senate, announce they are sure he will carry Fond du Lac county. Papers for all four candidates are being circulated in the district.

James E. Thomas, an attorney of Waukesha, is a candidate for the republican nomination to the assembly from the first district. James

McKenzie of Vernon has represented this locality in the legislature for the past two terms.

Henry J. Neuens of Sheboygan has announced himself as a candidate for the democratic nomination for state insurance commissioner.

Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas will be one of the speakers at the Dodge county fair in September. This is the man who hurried from his home to Washington, arriving too late, to assist Senator La Follette in his filibuster against the Aldrich currency measure.

George S. Barnes of Washburn and Frank Hammill of Spooner are the two republican candidates for nomination to the assembly from the district comprising the counties of Sawyer, Washburn and Bayfield.

J. F. Shaw, editor and publisher of the Ellsworth Record, is a republican candidate for the nomination to the assembly from that locality.

Wells M. Ruggles of Ashland, the "tall pine of Copper Falls," is a candidate for the democratic nomination for congress from that district. I. L. Lenroot of Superior and J. J. Jenkins of Chippewa Falls are the two republican candidates.

According to the reports of returning delegates from the Denver convention, Milwaukee will be the scene of the next democratic national convention in 1912. This favorable sentiment was created largely by the Rose marching club.

Judge Paul D. Carpenter of Milwaukee is mentioned in democratic circles as the democratic candidate for United States senator.

H. M. Bolens is a candidate for the democratic nomination for state senator in the district comprising Sheboygan and Ozaukee counties. Senator George W. Wolff, a republican, has represented this district since 1900.

Senator Henry Lockney of Waukesha is reported to have his eyes fixed on the office of United States district attorney for the eastern district. W. J. McElroy, formerly a member of the board of university regents, is also said to be after the position.

Editor F. R. Huth of the Burnett County Journal, has declined to be a candidate for the assembly on the republican ticket. He says he "cannot make the business sacrifices that my candidacy would require."

W. H. Bangle of Augusta and Charles H. Daub of the town of Washington, Eau Claire county, are in the field for the republican nomination to the assembly. At the last session this district was represented by W. A. Cernahan.

Eugene V. Debs, socialist leader and presidential candidate, spoke in Milwaukee Sunday afternoon at Pabst park.

Senator Isaac Stephenson is planning to open headquarters in Madison within a few days.

Many democrats of the state believe that the announcement of Col. W. J. Bryan that he would serve but four years if elected, will attract many La Follette voters. If Taft should be defeated La Follette would then be in the fore rank four years hence.

BRYAN AND THE PEOPLE.

The nomination of William J. Bryan for the presidency by the democratic national convention at Denver occasions little or no surprise. When the convention met it became patent to everyone that there was no formidable opposition to his candidacy, though in the past two years there has been no occasion to doubt that the party would name him for its candidate. The certainty of his nomination did not lie in his getting this delegation or that delegation. His nomination was as sure before the first delegation had been chosen in state convention as it was when the roll of states was called at Denver.

The fact that Mr. Bryan has behind him the masses of the people—the rank and file of his party—insured his nomination. It was a fact against which the powerful "interests" that sought to work his defeat could not contend. Against the demand of the great body of democrats that Mr. Bryan be named, party "bosses" could make no headway. The democratic leaders that were opposed to Mr. Bryan were forced to bend to the will of the democratic voters or be brushed away.

Mr. Bryan owes his nomination solely to the fact that he commands the confidence of the people. Without their support, he could have made no headway, but with their support he became invincible. He had no "machine," no patronage to distribute, no powerful financial interests with which to make appeal to the sordid or promote organized effort in his behalf. But in every precinct there were democratic voters demanding his nomination and instructing their delegates to favor his nomination. And thus his candidacy was built upon a solid foundation—a foundation against which the opposition beat in vain.

Mr. Bryan has been nominated by the masses of the voters as surely as if the nomination had come from a direct vote of the people. And having been nominated by the great body of the people, we believe that his election will follow at their hands. In reaching this conclusion, we rest our faith on the same fact that led us before a state convention was held to the firm belief that the democratic party would nominate him despite the opposition of the moneyed interests and the party bosses.

What states will Bryan carry? Frankly, we do not know. Statistics of past campaigns are of little value. With Bryan the candidate of the democratic party and with Taft the

candidate of the republican party, which stands bound and gagged by the great industrial and financial interests that exploit the people through privileges bestowed by government, every state that has been a republican state should be a doubtful state.

What will Wisconsin do—Wisconsin that four years ago piled up a majority for Roosevelt in excess of 100,000 votes? If we judge merely from the election returns, Wisconsin will be for Taft. But if we shall go deeper, we shall find that by overwhelming majority the voters of Wisconsin are in accord with Mr. Bryan. They believe with him that government should not be made an instrument to serve the ends of the few that have waxed rich and powerful through tariff privileges and the negligence of government to exercise its powers to hold the predatory classes in restraint. Specifically, there is not a plank in the democratic platform which, if submitted to the vote of the people, would not carry by an overwhelming majority in Wisconsin. And Mr. Bryan, we know, commands the sincere respect and confidence of a large section of the republican voters of the state. Which, then, will be the stronger—their adherence to the political principles in which they believe and the confidence in which they hold Mr. Bryan as the exponent of those principles or their devotion to an empty name and the loosened ties of party affiliations?

And what is true of Wisconsin is true of every republican state in the west and the northwest. Against principles in which the bulk of the people believe and a man in whom they place trust and confidence in his honesty and sincerity, the republican party enters the campaign with the figures of past majorities at its back and with a platform that does not meet the people's approval and a candidate that hardly excites their languid interest.—Milwaukee Daily News.

THE HOMESTEAD LAW.

The homestead law was designed to secure the development of new country, and it met, most wisely, the early condition that men must be induced to brave the hardships of the frontier by providing for a merely nominal fixed charge upon every homesteader who would settle upon one hundred and sixty acres of land, cultivate it, and make it his home for five years. This provision of a relatively small fixed charge for the homestead, irrespective of differences in land values, rewarded the pioneer of the early days for pushing out beyond his neighbors, by giving him better land at the same cost in money as the more timid paid for their pioneer homesteads nearer civilization; but he paid the difference, observe, in the greater hardships of developing new country, and in that development the public received full value for its land. It was not the original intent of the homestead law to give in land value more than it exacted from the homesteader in industrial value the fairness of the exchange was self-regulating. A citizen's "right" to take up government land had no more value in itself, than had his right to go into a store and make a bargain for goods. An appreciation of these early conditions will enable us to better comprehend the subsequent perversion of our system of land distribution.

Such was the homestead law in its pristine purity—a wise and beneficent law, so long as men needed inducement to settle upon public land; so long as men paid the government for their land by extending its industrial boundaries; so long as there were more homesteads than bona fide homesteaders; but no longer.—S. K. Humphrey in the July Atlantic.

IT READS LIKE A FAIRY TALE

An Atchison girl had always heard of the impoliteness of women in failing to thank men for giving up a seat in the street car, and decided that she would be an exception. A man gave her a seat Saturday night in a crowded car, affording her the opportunity for which she had been looking. "Oh, thank you a thousand times," she said. "It is just what I wanted, and how did you ever guess it? It is so thoughtful of you, and I do appreciate it so much." Then, as she sank into the seat: "And such a comfortable seat. It is the most comfortable seat I ever sat in. Oh, thank you again so much."—Atchison Globe.

NOT THERE.

Where are the southern democratic leaders at Denver—the men who represent the lion's share of the ability, conscience and conviction of their party? Where is Culberson of Texas? Where is Rayner of Maryland? Where is John Sharp Williams? Where is Tillman? Where is Johnston of Alabama? Where is Bailey? Where is Bacon? Where are the old-line southern democrats to whom the principles of the party were handed down by the generations that received those principles direct from Jefferson and Jackson? Where are the snobs of yesterday?—New York World.

THE GYPSY'S LAST WISH.

"Her last wish was to see the derby," said the husband of a gypsy woman, Elizabeth Hughes on whom an inquest was held at Wandsworth yesterday. "She said, 'I want to see it once more before I die.'"

A daughter said she had put on her best clothes on Wednesday morning ready to go to Epsom, but on taking a cup of tea to her mother she found she was dead of heart disease.—London Graphist.

At His Own Valuation

Merchant—I'll give you a position as clerk to start with, and pay you what you are worth. Is that satisfactory?

Applicant—Oh, perfectly; but—do you think that the firm can afford it?—Illustrated Bits.

## SPOTLIGHTS

Closing Week of Stock Company

The Van Dyke & Eaton company and likewise the La Crosse theater will close this season on next Sunday.

Tonight "Dora Thorne" will be the bill and ladies will be admitted free with tickets purchased at the Theater Candy store before 6 p. m. Tuesday.

Learned Her Lesson

One Milwaukee teacher is firm in the belief that all rules have exceptions, and thereby are proven. She had a pupil of the tender age of 8, who was learning to spell rather slowly. One night the teacher kept this pupil after school working with her in an endeavor to teach her to say "double l" in spelling the word "willow." After being assured by the girl that she would remember, the teacher allowed her to go home. But retribution for the pedagogue came the next day when the pupil arose in the reading class and read the sentence "Up, up, Mary, the sun has risen," as follows: "Double up, Mary, the sun is risen."

Reciprocity

Authoress (of the budding variety)—I got level with the editor last night. He always rejects my manuscripts. But I have had my revenge. Friend—How did you do it?

"I declined his son with thanks."—Peck-Me-Up.

Getting Fly With the Postman

Mr. Bug (the mail carrier)—Gee! I wish people would be a little more explicit with their spelling. Here's a letter marked H: Fly, and I'll be blamed if I know whether it's for that humble Mr. Horse Fly in the stable or that haughty Mr. House Fly in the cottage.—Life.

The Kaiser in Good Humor

At an informal dinner an American lady, who sat on the kaiser's left, had the salad passed to her over her left shoulder. The emperor saw that the lady hesitated to turn her face from him in order to help herself to the salad. "Madame," he said, "a kaiser can wait; a salad cannot."—M. A. P.

Not Much Doing

"My poor man," exclaimed the housewife, as she handed out a wedge of cherry pie "why don't you go forth and labor?"

"I can't find nothing in my line, mum," replied the weary wayfarer.

"And what was your last position?"

"Oh, it was very responsible, mum. I was official grass cutter for a polar expedition."—Chicago News.

Working Together.—The good old parson accosted the village blacksmith. "Henry," said the good man, "I notice you do a lot of automobile repairing. Now, good friend, suppose you move your shop around in the back of my parsonage. 'Do you think it would be a profitable move?'"

They are splicing the broken parts of the machinery I can splice the hearts of the runaway couples."—Exchange.

The Sounds of Spring.—The city sounds of bany spring—how sweet they are, indeed! The iceman's lusty yell in early morn, the "honk, honk" of the auto as they speed, the fishman tooting on his wheezy horn, the scissors grinder with his rust worn bell, the organ man with Jocko on a string, the backlot baseball lads who shriek and yell—these are the city sounds of bany spring.—Exchange.

As a pleasant-faced woman passed the corner Harris touched his hat to her and remarked to his companion: "Ah, my boy, I owe a great deal to that woman." "Your mother?" was the query. "No; my landlady."

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## EMPLOYEE VANISHES; SO DOES THE MONEY

C. C. ENGELBRETS IS SOUGHT BY  
THE POLICE

## WARRANT ISSUED FOR HIM

Young Man Charged With Beating  
Board Bill and Other Shortages  
During the Carnival

C. C. Engelbrets of Minneapolis, who was employed as ticket seller at the Orpheum Vaudeville show at the carnival, is charged with leaving the city with about \$22 of the association's money and a board bill of \$13.50 at the Hotel Law unpaid, together with a bill from the piano player and from John Arenz, carpenter.

The proprietor of the Law has a warrant out against the man and the authorities are after him.

If he is not apprehended and the money refunded the association will be the loser for the \$22, but the individuals whom he owes will be out the amount they have against him. The sum for the building of the platform is said to be considerable and the other small bills make the amount in the neighborhood of \$100, it is said.

## "Q" CLUB MEETS FERRYVILLE, WIS.

The scores at the "Q" Gun club Sunday were not as satisfactory as they have been before, and considering the condition of the weather. Next Sunday the Ferryville team will shoot against the club team and a good contest is expected although the local team is looked upon as the better of the two. A large crowd is expected up and the match will be interesting. The scores are as follows:

John Culp . . . . .	Broke. Shot at.	38	50
Art Roberge . . . . .		34	50
O. Fladlin . . . . .		43	50
E. Wiskerchen . . . . .		36	50
S. Fladlin . . . . .		25	50
Al Roberge . . . . .		25	50
Sam Welch . . . . .		32	50
F. Smith . . . . .		28	50
J. Becker . . . . .		13	25
William Pratt . . . . .		13	25
William Miller . . . . .		20	25
F. Kahat . . . . .		15	25
O. Kahat . . . . .		13	25
T. Goyette . . . . .		16	25
William Layland . . . . .		3	6

## REV. SANDERS RESIGNS POST

Because of poor health, Rev. Leslie Lee Sanders, the boy preacher of the Tabernacle Baptist church, has resigned his position as pastor and will move south. His resignation has been officially accepted by the board of trustees of the church.

Although Rev. Sanders has no specific reason for his resignation it was understood throughout the congregation that poor health was the cause. It is believed that he will gain strength faster and remain stronger in the south.

Rev. Sanders will preach in Wausau Sunday and the services here will be conducted in the Sunday school rooms by Mrs. De Long of Elroy.

## CHILD DIES.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Helsapple died at the La Crosse hospital yesterday. The funeral was held this morning, the interment being made in Oak Grove cemetery. A. & O. Sletten were in charge.

## STENOGRAPHER FOR WALSH WEDS AGAIN

AMESBURY, Mass., July 13.—Etta L. McLean, who was arrested in Chicago last fall on the charge of stealing papers in the John R. Walsh case, eloped Saturday with Walter Rollins, an Amesbury plumber, and they were married at Portsmouth, N. H.

Rollins' home was originally in Amesbury, but he has been here for only a year since childhood, most of his life having been spent in New York. The couple had been seen together several times, but it was not supposed they were engaged, as rumor had coupled the name of another prominent man in Amesbury with that of Miss McLean.

## THOUGHT CURED; YOUNG MAN DIES

PATERSON, N. J., July 13.—Thomas Howard, 12 years old, died at St. Joseph's hospital from tetanus as a result of shooting himself in the hand on the Fourth of July. Young Sharpley had visited the hospital every day for treatment until Friday, when his hand had apparently healed. Saturday morning his jaws set and he was taken to the hospital at once. He steadily grew worse and died in great agony.

## CARNIVAL LOSES MONEY THIS YEAR

NORTH SIDE AMUSEMENT ASSN.  
DID NOT MAKE PROFIT

## BUSINESS MEN SATISFIED

Say Loss is Counterbalanced by  
Profit Before and That Next  
Year's Will be a Winner

The north side carnival of 1908 is a thing of the past. The streets are as quiet as they were two weeks ago. Although the carnival was not a big success this year there was a large number of people to see it. The association lost money this year, but the results of the preceding years rather balance this year's loss. Last year the carnival came out over \$150 to the good and the year before they were even more ahead, on the week's earnings.

H. L. Partridge said: "I think that the association would have done better to have postponed the carnival until some better companies could have been brought here, but such things cannot be avoided and I think that the carnival next year will make up for the one this year."

Frank Gelsenheimer said: "It would have been better to have waited until a first class carnival could be secured or even not to have had any carnival than to have one of mediocre quality."

L. E. Lavaque said: "The carnival this year was the best that could be secured under the conditions and Secretary Gibson ought to have a great deal of credit for the work he has done in connection with the affair."

Secretary Gibson says that everything was settled satisfactorily and the shows have left for Minneapolis. Mr. Gibson has been working very hard during the past two weeks and will have to take a week's rest at least before he can go back to work, as the strain has been too hard on him and it will be necessary for him to recuperate.

## CONDUCTOR WOLCOTT WEDDED AT PORTAGE

E. B. Wolcott of Portage and Mrs. C. George of New Lisbon were united in marriage at the home of the bride in New Lisbon, July 9. Mr. Wolcott is a well known conductor on the La Crosse division of the Milwaukee road and is well known in railroad circles. The couple left for the west on their honeymoon. They will reside on the North side in the future.

## NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mrs. John Rickert of Wells is visiting Mrs. Joseph Conway of Berlin street.

Harry Richmond leaves today for Davenport, where he will visit his mother and sister.

The Epworth league of the Caledonia Street M. E. church will give an ice cream social Thursday evening on the lawn of F. H. Mallory, 1932 George street.

Charles Mullen of Galesburg spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mullen of Loomis street.

Malcolm Taylor of Bagley spent Sunday with North side friends.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Singer, 1436 Caledonia street, a son, Friday.

Mrs. William Dwyer and Miss Loretta Kennedy left for Waukon to attend the funeral of their cousin.

Mrs. P. J. Kelly who has been visiting at the home of L. L. Murphy left for her home in Chicago.

Miss Grace Hart who has been visiting Miss E. Whiting, has returned to her home in Hokah.

Robert and John Whiting have returned from a visit to DeSoto.

Miss Mattie Taylor of Loomis street has left for a visit with relatives in Dubuque.

Mrs. Dr. Matland left for a visit with friends and relatives in St. Paul.

H. J. Roth and family left for Leavenworth, Kansas, to attend the wedding of Mrs. Roth's niece.

## BODY OF MANIAC TO SOLVE MURDER

EAST ST. LOUIS, July 13.—By the suicide of the murderer the police expect to solve the killing of the photographer, A. J. Magill in his gallery. The detective department has made up its mind that the murder was committed by a man, said by his friends to have been slightly deranged. This man's house has been watched and his movements traced up to the time he disappeared coincident with the killing of Magill. Because of his known moody dementia it is believed that his body will be found within a few days.

The suspected man, whose guilt is thus far established only by circumstantial evidence, formerly worked for a water company and once was struck on the head with a shovel in the hands of a rate payer who had resented the turning off of his water supply. It is said that since then he has never been right mentally and was given to violent resentment of fancied injuries.

Circulars calling for his arrest have been sent out to the various cities in Illinois and Arkansas where he is known or has relatives.

Most people waste a lot of valuable time telling their imaginary troubles.

## 10 HOUR DAY ON THE BURLINGTON

PREPARING FOR THE FALL RUSH  
OF BUSINESS

## 135 MEN ARE EFFECTED

Increase Comes as a Pleasant Surprise and is Taken to Indicate  
a Good Fall Trade

The work at the "Q" shops started at 10 hours a day this morning. The men have been working but eight hours a day and the increase will be a pleasant surprise as the work is rather slack and has been for some time. It is understood that the new 10 hour rule was a mistake in regard to the roundhouse and after today the men of that department will resume eight hours.

A large number of men will be affected, however, and the increase is thought by many to be a sign of a prosperous fall.

There are at present about 135 men at work in the shops and when the season was at its height last fall there was but 150 employees so the decrease was not as great as was supposed, by a great many people.

The work on the road 45 slackening up and 10 brakemen were laid off Saturday.

This will not affect the machine shops, however, as the work there will be getting the engines ready for the fall rush.

## GETS \$55 A MONTH REFUSES A MILION

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—Turning her back on \$1,000,000 which is hers under the law if she cares to claim it, Miss Anna S. Cammack reported today at her desk in the postoffice department, where she earns \$55 a month.

The will of her father, the late John Cammack, was probated yesterday and left her in trust \$50,000. The estate is valued at close to \$3,000,000, which the will leaves to the testator's second wife and stepson.

Lawyers have told Miss Cammack she readily can lay claim to at least a third of the estate, but she insists her father's desires shall be carried out. The heiress will continue to work for the government for \$560 a year.

Eleven years ago Miss Cammack married without her father's consent. Two years later she forced to seek a divorce, resuming her maiden name. Her father declined to receive her and for nine years she has been employed at the same wages in the postoffice department.

## WIFE CAKEWALKS; MINISTER "FIRED"

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 13.—The Rev. Wilbur E. Mann, pastor of the Elben Evangelical Lutheran church at Elrania, today was asked to leave after a bitter word battle.

A cakewalk was to blame. The minister's wife and William Atkins, superintendent of the Sunday school, performed it a church lawn fete a week ago. The pastor, it is said, was an interested onlooker, but some of the elder members disapproved of the feature and spoke out about it today.

Heated discussion was the result and the minister has been informed by the anti-cakewalk faction that he must leave or be ousted. The congregation is equally divided on the question, and the Manns declare they will take the matter into the courts if an attempt is made to put them out.

## DOVE GETS STUCK IN PIPE ORGAN

COATSVILLE, Pa., July 13.—There is a sequel of the oddest and most striking sort to the fastening up of all possible entrances to Trinity church steeple last week, with the purpose of shutting out pigeons that had overrun the belfry.

Last Sunday during the well attended church services, the choir and congregation were surprised when a pretty pigeon made its appearance at the end of one of the tubes of the pipe organ.

The bird had flown down one of the ornamental pipes and was only able to get its head out at the lower end. The organ will have to be torn apart to get the pigeon out.

## SQUATTER HAS A FLAG AND IBLE

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 13.—Dramatically defying the officers of the Reading Coal and Iron company, who came to drive him off land in dispute, Thomas Edwards, a septuagenarian, at Mill Creek, seated himself beneath the folds of Old Glory with an open bible in his lap, for several hours in a boiling sun and dared them to say hands upon him.

For twenty-two years the Reading company has been trying to dispossess him, claiming that he has a faulty title. Edwards says his title is a clear one.

The officers were obliged to retire from the field defeated, temporarily at least.

Some men are so convinced that they are going to wake up some morning and find themselves famous that they can't sleep.

## BURTON WANTS TO BE OHIO SENATOR

WILL MAKE FIGHT AGAINST  
SENATOR FORAKER

## LEGISLATURE DEMOCRATIC?

Republicans Say That While the  
State Will Be for Taft They  
Fear the State Body

Washington Bureau of  
The La Crosse Tribune.  
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.

The recent announcement of Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio that he will be a candidate for the senate to succeed Senator Joseph Benson Foraker means that from now on until the Ohio legislature next winter picks the successor to Mr. Foraker there will be a real, old-fashioned political battle in the Buckeye state. It will be a fight that will loom large in the eye of the whole country for various reasons. Senator Foraker has been in the limelight for years and especially since he threw down the gauntlet to President Roosevelt on the question of federal regulation of railroads. For a long time, there have been signs that the movement for the elimination of Foraker was on, but much has been heard of adjustments and compromises and it seemed that after all an arrangement might be made that would permit him to retain his senate seat. But the open avowal of Burton's candidacy means that Foraker is in a struggle for his political existence and that he is to be eliminated if his opponents are capable of accomplishing this rather difficult task.

So far as can be discovered, the contest in Ohio over the senatorship does not have close relation to the vote in that state on the presidential ticket. Under any circumstances, Ohio voters will give Taft as the candidate for president a substantial majority. The legislature of Ohio, however, is in doubt and the democrats feel they have a good fighting chance of electing their state ticket. Senator Foraker not long ago in a statement emphasized the serious nature of the fight to keep the legislature from going democratic.

Representative Burton went to Hot Springs and had a conference with Secretary Taft before he announced himself as a candidate for the senate. It is expected he will have to a considerable extent the backing of the Taft organization in Ohio. He is generally regarded as having the support of Charles P. Taft for the senate and of such prominent men in the Taft organization as Walter Brown of Toledo and State Auditor Guilbert. It is not certain that he can count on the support of Geo. W. Cox in Cincinnati and Hamilton county and if Cox goes to Foraker it will be an important addition to the latter's forces. Mr. Burton will have the advantage in the coming struggle of being known throughout Ohio and the whole country as the man of high intellectual powers, capable of taking the highest rank in the senate or any other parliamentary body. His long services as head of the river and harbors committee of the house have afforded a good measure of the man's capacity, and if he comes to the senate he will shed credit on his commonwealth.

On the other hand, Mr. Burton will enter the struggle under some disadvantages. One of those is that he is a poor politician. He is too much given to independence in thought and action to train well with the average body of political managers. He suffered some loss of prestige when he went into the fight for the mayorship of Cleveland with Tom Johnson and was badly beaten by that enterprising and indefatigable personage. None disputes that Mr. Burton is a man of exceptionally high grade, but it was made to appear in that contest that the traction interests of Cleveland were trying to use him as a cat's paw. Further than this, there is a factional division in Guayahoga county, on Foraker and anti-Foraker lines, from which Mr. Burton has suffered in the past. It is likely he would have gone to the senate in the place of Charles Dick four years ago had he been able to control his county and unite it in support of himself. Still another difficulty in the way of Mr. Burton is a geographical one. Senator Dick is from northern Ohio and Senator Foraker from southern Ohio, and the argument will be used for all it is worth that the southern part of the state should retain one of the senatorships. Moreover, it is likely a number of other candidates will enter the field. Many aspiring Ohio politicians are credited with having their eye on the Foraker toga. Myron T. Herrick, ex-governor, is generally regarded as wanting to go to the senate. Harry Dougherty is an aspirant. Wade Ellis is generally thought to have ambitions in this direction. Men who are closely acquainted with George B. Cox declare it is the ambition of his life to have a seat in the senate. Various others might be named. One Ohio politician said lately that Ohio had as many aspirants for the senate as there were candidates for vice president mentioned at Denver. This, however, may be an exaggeration. At any rate, plenty of candidates may be looked for. In this, the Foraker men see their best chances of success. They believe if the situation becomes complicated by the entrance into the field of a number of candidates the

senior senator will eventually win out.

Foraker's prospects, however, do not appear by any means bright. It is true he is a great fighter, a brilliant campaigner. But his opposition to administration policies in Ohio has stirred up intense antagonism. This feeling on the part of great numbers of voters is such that Taft could not have saved Foraker from a fight to retain the senatorship had he tried. Mr. Taft was well aware of this situation. His part in getting the Rogers law which gave the traction companies a grip on Cincinnati and other cities enacted and upheld has cost him much strength. On the whole, the indications now are that Foraker's defeat is to be expected but it is not a certainty and even if Foraker is beaten it is not assured that Mr. Burton will be able to land the prize, which may go to some of the other aspirants.

## NEEDY, OFFERS ODY FOR \$50

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—Deserted by fortune, which once smiled upon him, John Barrett of Middleton, Conn., offers to sell his body for \$50. The offer has been refused by the George Washington hospital, to which it was made, but the offer is still open.

Barrett is about 70 years old and although apparently hale and hearty and likely to live many years more, he feels that his days are numbered, and rather than live in want he would raise the \$50 which will chase the wolf away for a while by giving a lien on his body. He came here in search of health, hoping to be benefited by the climate.

## MOTHER'S ATHETIC SURGICAL EFFORT

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 13.—A pathetic tragedy took place on the Reading railway at New Philadelphia when Helen Yeager, a 15 months old girl who had followed her mother across the tracks to a spring of water, was cut in two.

Engineer Simpson and his fireman saw the infant, but were unable to stop. After whistling "down brakes" they dashed out on the pilot to pick up the child, but could not reach her in time.

The mother was almost crazed and made a desperate attempt to put the severed body together.

## MAN SURVIVES 11,000 VOLTS

STAMFORD, Conn., July 13.—Shocked by 11,000 volts of electricity, James Hayes, 23 years old, is making a wonderful fight for life in the Stamford hospital.

Hayes went on the roof on electrical locomotive to oil a pantograph. The power was on and when he grabbed the feed wire with his right hand the 11,000 volts shot through his body and hurled him fifteen feet in the air. Every stitch of clothing was burned from him, holes were burned in his back and legs, and his toenails were peeled off.

## THIEF PUTS WATCH IN A MAIL BOX

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 13.—Charles Hauffman, a mail collector, found a gold watch when he opened the mail box at Pendleton avenue and Olive street last night. Attached to it was a note of instruction to sell the watch for charity, as it had been stolen.

Hauffman told the police of find, and this morning he took the watch to the postoffice to be held for identification. The case number is 6,980,598. The watch was running when found.

The note read: "This watch was stolen. It obe sold and proceeds given to charity. Cannot find owner." It was anonymous.

## Where Swallows Go.

The swallows all spend the winter in Central America and the south part of Mexico. They appear in the southern states as early as the middle of February, but seldom get as far north as New England until the month of May. The robins winter in the southern states and in northern Mexico. They are to be seen in flocks the winter through in the gulf states.—Exchange.

Plausible.  
"The trouble with this tooth," said the dentist, probing it with a long, slender instrument, "is that the nerve is dying."

"It seems to me, doctor," groaned the victim, "you ought to treat the dying with a little more respect."

## An Unhappy Answer.

The Curate—Good gracious, Giles! Whatever makes you keep such a spiteful old cat as that? Giles—Well, sir, you see, it's like this—I've felt a bit lonely since my old woman died!—London Opinion.

## At the End of the Voyage.

Jonah disembarked.  
"The only trip I don't have to tip the steward," he exclaimed.  
Therewith he regarded the whale half approvingly.—New York Sun.

## Different Points of View.

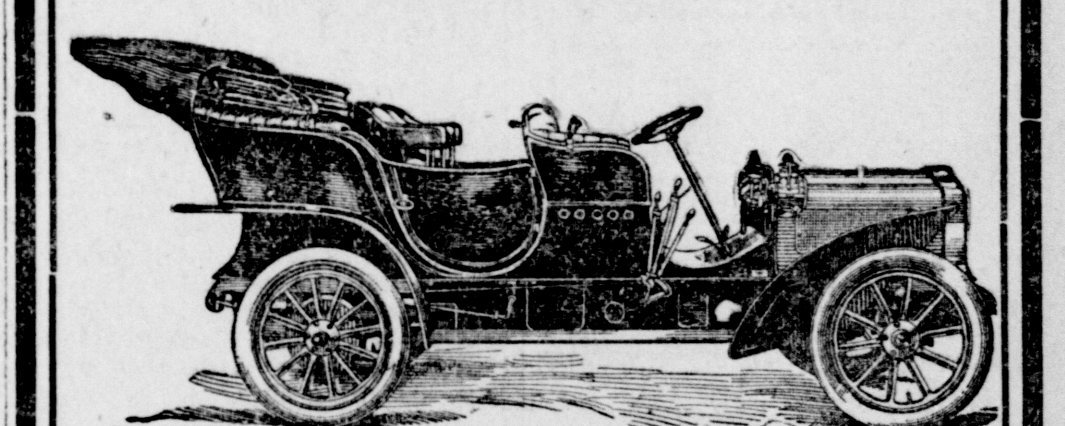
"It's hard to be poor," sighed the needy pessimist.  
"That's queer," replied the ragged optimist. "I always found it easy enough."

Successful guilt is the base of society.—Syria.

# FLEET DAY

AT

## OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA



When Admiral Evan's fleet arrived in San Francisco Bay, it is hardly an exaggeration to say that every automobile in that section of the country was offered for the use of the officers. The committee in charge of the celebration decided to use

## WHITE STEAMERS

exclusively, because "no other make can accommodate its speed to the pace of a street parade without discomfort to the passengers and without overheating, and no other make is so free from the liability of tire trouble or delays from mechanical causes." The committee might also have been influenced by the patriotic motive that the White alone is distinctively American and is not a copy of any foreign article.

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## THE SUCCESSOR TO SECRETARY TAFT



First official photograph of Gen. Luke E. Wright, who has succeeded William H. Taft as secretary of war. This picture was taken in his office in the war department this week. It shows the strong face of the new head of the American army department. General Wright was formerly governor of the Philippines.

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## PEACHES

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BURN'S FRUIT HOUSE

## PEACHES

## PERSONALS

No better cigar on the market than the "Dangler Saengerfest." Wholesale price \$35 per thousand.

A. E. Bleckman went to Melrose yesterday, returning last evening.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Burgess of 322 South Ninth street, yesterday.

W. W. Collins has returned from a business trip to Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. John White have returned from Tomah, where they have been visiting friends.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Miss Erma Will is spending a few days with friends in Sand Lake Coulee.

Mrs. W. L. Martin has returned to her home in Minneapolis after visiting friends in the city.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Line for your next hack call, Phone 179.

Miss Alice Cronon has returned from Spring Valley, where she has been visiting relatives.

Len Noble, son of A. R. Noble, of State street, and formerly a La Crosse boy, is in the city with his wife, visiting his parents for a few weeks. Mr. Noble is in the decorating business and has been figuring with the Saengerfest committees on work here.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

H. J. Beckwith, president of the board of public works, is confined to his home by illness.

W. A. Mashier and wife of Prairie du Chien are spending a few days in the city with friends.

C. H. Warbel of Chaseburg is spending a few days in the city renewing acquaintances.

E. Rice of New Albin was a business caller in La Crosse last week.

E. G. Ruppe of Preston was visiting friends in La Crosse over Sunday.

O. E. Taperes of Fargo, S. D., is the guest of friends and relatives in the city.

Prof. H. Dibble of Hokah was in La Crosse over Sunday visiting friends.

James Peterson, son of Mrs. Kate Peterson, submitted to an operation at the St. Francis hospital yesterday morning.

## GOVERNOR'S DAY AT CAMP DOUGLAS.

The C. M. & St. P. Ry. will run a special train to Camp Douglas Wednesday, July 15th, account Governor's Day. Train will leave La Crosse at 7:30 a. m., returning will leave Camp Douglas at 9:30 p. m. For further particulars enquire at ticket office. F. R. Hartwell, Tkt Agent.

## SCHOOL REPORT MADE BY BIRD

Superintendent John P. Bird of the city school has in compliance with the state law sent in to State Superintendent Cary an annual report containing statistics of the La Crosse schools. The following is an extract from the report.

During the year ending June 30th 4,739 children attended the schools of the city of La Crosse. Of these 2,331 were girls and 2,408 boys ranging in age from 4 to 20 years of age. There were no pupils under four years of age and there were four over the age of twenty attending the High School.

The work of the truant officers is shown under the heading of Compulsory Education Statistics. Nine hundred and twenty-five children between the ages of 4 and 14 years did not attend school during the past year; 646 of these were males and the remainder of the opposite sex. Nearly all were induced to attend school but in one or two cases the parents had to be prosecuted to gain the desired result.

In the city are employed 131 teachers of whom 117 are females and 14 males. The average salary of the La Crosse teachers is \$55.55 per month.

## DIAMONDS WIN FROM JUNIORS

The lucky seventh proved the downfall of the Juniors and resulted in the winning of the game for the Diamonds at the old ball park Sunday afternoon. The game was close and about tied in the first six innings but in the seventh the whole Junior team seemed to go up into the air and the Diamonds ran in 8 scores. The Diamonds have defeated every amateur team in the city with the possible exception of the Athletics. The next two Sundays are open dates and the team manager would like to book two games with strong aggregations in the vicinity. The batteries for the Sunday game was as follows:

Diamonds, Stuve and Johnson; Juniors, Konetchy and Weiss.

The score by innings:

Diamonds ..... 002001800—11  
Juniors ..... 102000100—4

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DIAMONDS — JEWELRY — SILVER — GOLD — CUT GLASS

## SOCIETY

MISS ANDERSON ENTERTAINS.

Miss Ora Anderson entertained Friday evening in honor of the Misses Hulberg and Lund of Minneapolis. The evening was spent in music and games and a most delightful time was had. The guests were the Misses Ethel Hulberg, Anne Lund, Alma, Millie and Berghild Verket, Gertrude Peterson, Martha Risberg, Ora Anderson, Messrs. J. Berg, D. Larsen, S. Sheldon, H. Schaulander, F. Johnson, M. Huff, G. Jaekel and F. Bosshard.

BRIDGE PARTY

Saturday afternoon Mrs. P. H. Hough entertained one table at bridge.

RETURN FROM CAMP.

Messrs. and Mesdames L. C. Mix, R. C. Mix and George Wright have returned from Camp Oak, where they have been camping and clamming for some time. During their stay they succeeded in getting a large number of clams from which they extracted a number of slugs. They found no pearls, however.

PICNIC UP RIVER.

A jolly crowd of picnickers spent Sunday at Eagle Bluff. The day was devoted to playing games and other amusements. The feature of the day was the baptizing of one of the young ladies, when a painful of water was accidentally spilled over her, which caused excitement for some time, it being the first time she enjoyed the pleasure of being baptized.

They all reported a very pleasant time and returned to La Crosse about 9 o'clock. Those present were: Misses Margaret Dally, Francis Coady, Meta Beyers, Bertha Fendelsen, Isabelle Novak, Nettie Delphovich, and Helen Slegfried; Messrs. Frank Raegan, Thomas Duhan, Joseph Weissman, Charlie Hillam, Julius Weissenberger, Joseph McNeaney and Anton Fries.

LADIES' AID MEETS.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Trinity Lutheran church on Avon street will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church parlors. Mrs. Edmunds entertains.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. W. R. Montague and children have gone up to the McConnell farm near Salem to spend a few weeks.

Mr. W. R. Montague has gone east for a few weeks.

Mrs. C. A. Olberg, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Murphy at Fremont, Neb., has returned after a two months' stay. Upon her return she stopped at Wau-pun, her old home, for a few days.

Mrs. Kate Morse, housekeeper at the Stoddard, has returned after spending six weeks with friends in the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hyslop, who went to Black River Falls a few weeks ago, have returned home.

Miss Betty Hill of Chicago is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. David Austin.

Burton James leaves tomorrow for Chetek, where he will join the Egbert family for a few weeks.

Mrs. John Moore is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Doubner of Red Wing.

Miss Mary Stebbins of Kenosha is visiting her cousin, Miss Nora Malin on the north side.

## CONCRETE INSTEAD OF TERRA COTTA

The Y. M. C. A. building committee met Saturday evening. Those present were A. K. James, E. G. Boynton, E. E. Bentley and F. W. Scofield. It was decided to have the water table for the entire Y. M. C. A. building made out of concrete moulding instead of the terra cotta which had been formerly decided upon. It was decided that Contractor Noble should itemize the decrease or excess in cost and present it to the committee. It was found after a thorough discussion of the matter that the concrete moulding would be more suited and Mr. Noble was instructed to use it.

## ALLOTING COMPLETED SOON

SIoux FALLS, S. D., July 13.—John H. Scriven, special agent in charge of the work of allotting lands to Sioux Indians in Gregory, Tripp and Meyer counties, while in Sioux Falls on business before the United States court, gave some interesting information in connection with the progress being made in the work of allotting lands to Indians in Tripp county.

## SICK; DROWNS SELF.

DUBUQUE, Ia., July 13.—Martin Welter, aged 70 residing at 305 South Locust street, committed suicide by jumping into the harbor. He suffered with cancer on his lip.

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## NEW SEINING LAW MAKES FISHER RICH

ONE PEPIN MAN EARNS \$20,000 IN A SEASON

TAKES OUT ONLY ROUGH FISH

Law Allows Unlimited Seining for These and They Sell as Black Bass

Between \$20,000 and \$25,000 of profit in an eight-month season, with practically no investment is the record made by Charles Sharp, a seine fisher of Pepin, Wis., and he is but one of a dozen in this vicinity who have made small fortunes in a single year as the result of the passage of the seining law in Wisconsin.

The law passed by the last legislature permits the seining of rough fish, such as carp, sheepshead and pickerel, and since the law went into effect a new industry has been built up along the Mississippi river's Wisconsin shores. Sharp is one of the first who took advantage of the wide latitude allowed under the act. He began with a single net and in a few hauls had secured enough profit to invest in additional nets. Sharp furnished other fishermen with nets for a commission on their profits and soon had a score of fishermen between Lake Pepin and La Crosse working in his interests. Within the season he had cleared more net profit than the ordinary man makes in a decade at a salaried position, and it is safe to say if the law is not repealed Sharp will be independently wealthy within a few more seasons.

Hauls Worth \$1,200.

At various points in this vicinity single hauls valued at from \$600 to \$1,200 have been made. Nets which sweep a whole mile of the river bed, or an entire small lake in the adjacent waters, are set and a half dozen men spend several days slowly drawing it in to the point where the fish are taken out. The net meshes close in on the fish and by the time the haul is completed in many instances tons of the finny tribe have been secured at one swoop.

New York and cities of the east have for many months been paying 60 cents an order for fresh "black bass" which came from the nets of the sturdy Mississippi river fishermen. Almost every day during the fishing season a launch may be seen drawing up at the La Crosse levee dragging after it a train of from three to five big flat boats, which are filled with a solid mass of wriggling fish. The fish are mostly German carp. They are fed and covered with carpet, and at the levee are

transferred into iced crates or boxes, put aboard a fast train and shipped to the eastern markets, where many of the fish arrive still alive. Bringing from a cent to 3 cents a pound, these fish are sold in the east as fresh water luxuries at fabulous prices.

## Protest Against the Law.

Rod and gun clubs of the vicinity are entering a strenuous protest against the law, claiming that the river is being robbed of all of the game fish as well as the rougher varieties. Complaints have been made with Assemblyman T. H. Miller and Senator Thomas Morris of this district and requests filed that they use their influence for the repeal of the seining laws as detrimental to the interests of the true fishermen.

The seine fishermen, however, and others who claim to have studied the matter, contend that the taking of rough fish from the river does not interfere in the least with the game fish, but that instead it increases their numbers by decreasing the supply of rough fish, which are supposed to kill the bass, pike, trout and other varieties of game fish.

There seems no likelihood, therefore, that the present law will be interfered with and there is every indication that there will be several independent fortunes built up upon the new and unique industry within the next few years.

## WESTERN UNION

SUED FOR \$898,500

DES MOINES, Iowa, July 13.—The Western Union Telegraph company of New York is made defendant in a suit for \$898,500, brought against it by the state of Iowa for alleged violation of the state laws in regard to foreign corporations. The petition filed by Attorney General Beyers consists of two counts.

The first count is for \$100,000 for alleged failure to pay the customary fee on the capital stock of the corporation, and the second for \$798,500, represent the penalty fixed by law for each day the company has been doing business in the state in purported violation of law.

As the grounds for the first count the state alleges that the company is incorporated with capital stock of \$100,000,000, that it began to do business in Iowa in September, 1886, and has never pretended to comply with the state laws regarding foreign corporations.

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## BOTH MAGAZINE GRAFTERS SENTENCED

Judge Brindley this morning sentenced the two magazine grafters who gave their names as Sam Moorhead and Jeanne De Roa to ninety days each in the county jail. They had worked many prominent people of the city and from the reports which are coming in from all directions the people of La Crosse were

A light! A puff! A smile!

Bench Rolls

not the first ones to "bite." Moorhead pleaded guilty Saturday and was sentenced by Judge Brindley, and his partner pleaded guilty this morning and was given the same penalty.

## ONLY CORN IS FAILURE

FARIBAULT, Minn., July 13.—The crops in this vicinity are looking fine, and the outlook for a bumper crop, with the exception of corn, never was better. All small grains are in the best of condition, and if favorable weather continues, harvest will begin in a few weeks. Farmers are busy cutting hay. This crop never was better, but owing to so much wet weather it will be impossible to cut a great deal of it. In high places corn is now nearly up to the standard height, but in low wet lands it is conceded to be a failure.

## GERMAN SCHOOL ON.

The German summer school is in session now at German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Ferry streets, and is attended by over 50 children. The school has been divided into seven classes. Free instruction in German reading, writing and spelling is being given to all by Rev. Panzlau.

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## CITY NEWS

HUNDREDS ON RIVER.—There were hundreds of people on the river yesterday in launches and row boats enjoying the fine weather. The early part of the day was rainy, but the rain ceased and the late morning and afternoon with overcast clouds hiding a blazing sun made the river an ideal outing place.

## RAMPOLLA ILL FROM OVERWORK

ROME, July 13.—Cardinal Rampolla, the cardinal secretary of state, is in a serious condition owing to overwork. His nervous system suffered a complete break-down, and he will go to Switzerland to recuperate.

## EPIDEMIC AMONG HORSES

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., July 13.—A large number of horses in this vicinity are affected with a peculiar disease. It is something in the nature of an influenza and commences with a cough and rapid loss of flesh. An obstruction appears to form between the head and throat, and in drinking the water is forced up through the nose with a squeaking sound. All kinds of remedies have been tried, but nothing appears to have any effect. The cough ceases as the disease progresses, but the obstruction remains and the animal eats and breathes with difficulty and in some cases the jaws appear to be partially paralyzed. Only one horse has died from it so far as known.

## MADE RIGHT.

It Won the Banker.

"At the age of seventeen I was thrown on my own resources," writes the cashier of a Western Bank, "and being low in finances I lived at a cheap boarding house where they served black coffee three times a day.

"At first my very nature rebelled but I soon became accustomed to it, and after a while thought I could not get along without it.

"I worked hard during each school term (I was attending college) and taught country school between times.

"At the end of three years I had finished my course—my nerves too, and I went back to the farm to rest up. This did me some good but I kept on drinking coffee not realizing that it caused my trouble, and later accepted a position in a bank.

"About this time I was married and my acquaintances called me 'Slim.' On the advice of a friend, my wife began to serve Postum and she made it right from the start (boiled it 15 minutes after boiling actually starts). I liked it and have used it exclusively for three years.

I am no longer dubbed slim, my weight has increased 60 pounds and I have nerves to stand any strain without a flinch. And I have increased my salary and my shares of bank stock. I can work 15 hours a day, sleep soundly and get up feeling like a healthy boy." "There's a Reason."

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## BOMB PLOT IN PENITENTIARY

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., July 13.—An attempt was made to assassinate Warden R. W. McClaughry of the federal prison by a bomb, which exploded in a wagon which he was driving through the streets of Leavenworth.

Warden McClaughry and his son, Will McClaughry, head of the United States bureau of identification, were driving west in Cherokee street when a terrific explosion occurred opposite the right front wheel of their wagon. The warden, his son, and the driver were stunned by the explosion, which was heard all over the business section of town.

A prisoner who was driving a wagon in the rear of the warden's vehicle, said he saw the missile thrown from the second story window above a drug store. The inmates of the place deny anything was thrown from the window.

## WED 15 MINUTES AFTER PROPOSAL

BURLINGTON, N. J., July 13.—A fifteen minute courtship preceded a romantic leap year wedding last night at the parsonage of the Union Methodist Episcopal church, when the Rev. John W. Lynch, "the marrying parson," tied the knot for Howard Ellis Applegate of Camden and Miss Elizabeth Carpenter of Mount Holly. The couple had left the county seat for a phaeton ride.

The bridegroom would not acknowledge it, but friends of the pair say that pretty Miss Carpenter popped the question and Applegate, not to be outdone, made the counter proposition that the ceremony be performed at once. A quarter of an hour afterward they knocked at the parsonage door.

## MILLIONS OF TOADS COME DOWN IN RAIN

BLOOMSBURG, Pa., July 13.—Many sections of Columbia county gave evidence this morning that the community was being visited by a veritable Old Testament plague of toads. Toads by the million, coming, in the minds of many of the more fanciful, from the skies, fairly covered every place upon which they could get a footing.

They just were so thick on West Berwick pavements that pedestrians were compelled to take to the streets. Much the same conditions existed in Bloomsburg.

## GIVEN MONOPOLY BY INJUNCTION

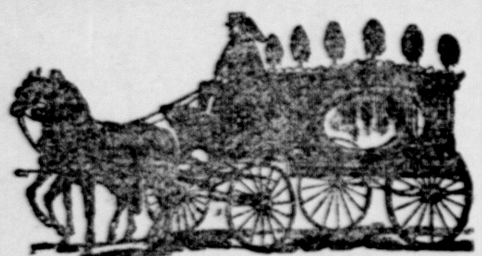
Having some time ago sold out his title and cement business to Theodore Collins with the understanding that he was not again to embark in the same business in Hillsboro, Herman Bohn was restrained on an injunction by Judge Fruit from setting up a new business of that kind in the community.

It is claimed that after this agreement was made, Mr. Bohn started another company in the name of his wife and son and Mr. Collins sought legal relief with the result that the injunction was granted.

Sillius.—Do you believe that money is the root of all evil? Cynicus.—Not unless you marry it.



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## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustee of Ludwig Coren will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at number 418-420 Main Street, in the City of La Crosse, La Crosse County, Wisconsin, on the 17th day of July, 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., the entire stock of dry goods, ladies' furnishing goods, notions and fixtures; a complete inventory of the same which shows an aggregate of twenty thousand (20,000) dollars is now on file with the undersigned and open to the inspection of prospective bidders.  
Dated La Crosse, Wisconsin, July 6, 1908.  
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## APPENDICITIS

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ONE WOMAN CURED AND ON  
ROAD TO RECOVERY

## SURGEONS ARE JUBILANT

Cure Has Been Found for Disease  
Which Killed McKinley and is  
Fatal in 95 Per Cent

NEW YORK, July 13.—Peritonitis, which killed President McKinley and which is fatal to 95 per cent of those stricken, has been cured in Beth Israel hospital here.  
The first beneficiary of the new cure is Mrs. Anna Abias, who is in her home today, convalescent. Prof. Henry Silver, chief of the surgeons of the hospital, is jubilant.  
Pure oxygen filtered through water and inserted through a tube into an incision in the abdomen saved Mrs. Abias, when her temperature was 103, and hope was practically gone. Four other patients are on the road to recovery.

PRIEST'S MURDERER  
AWAITING DEATH

DENVER, Colo., July 13.—The death sentence imposed upon Giuseppe Alia, the priest murderer, began to operate Sunday. Alia will be hanged in the state penitentiary at Canyon City some time this week, but the day and the hour is known only to the prison officials and perhaps has not been definitely decided upon by them. The custom in Colorado long followed by the courts is to designate the week when convicted murderers sentenced to death shall expire their crime, leaving it to the prison officials who actually carry out the sentence to select the moment when the sentence shall be carried into effect.

Realizing that the shocking nature of his crime—the killing of Father Leo Heinrichs at the altar of St. Elizabeth's church in this city while the priest was administering the sacrament at early mass one Sunday morning—made impossible the stirring of human sympathy in his behalf, Alia awaits only the coming of the moment when he shall be summoned to his death. The greater portion of the time he lies upon his cot, his face buried in the covers. Alia retains his fierce hatred of the priesthood and everything connected with the church. When visited in his cell recently by a Catholic priest stationed in Canyon City, he raved and stormed and was not quieted for some time after the priest had withdrawn.

BASEBALL MAGNATE  
EXPIRES IN CROWD

COLUMBUS, O., July 13.—Thomas J. Bryce, president of the Columbus Baseball company of the American association, died of heart failure Sunday afternoon in the presence of 8,000 fans, just before the Columbus- Toledo game was called. Mr. Bryce entered the park twenty minutes before play was called to congratulate the Columbus players on their recent work, paused to watch Toledo at practice, then entered the grand stand and sat down with John T. Brush and Manager McGraw of the New Yorks, in from Pittsburgh to see the game.  
He spoke to Brush, reached out his hand to greet McGraw, and fell over dead. Medical attendance, instantly at his side, was unavailing. The Columbus players carried the body to the clubhouse, from where it was taken to his home in Champion avenue.

Toledo ceased practice and the game was called off. Mr. Bryce left a widow and two sons, both entering manhood.

REBUILD LARGE  
PIPE ORGAN

The large pipe organ at the Congregational church is now in the hands of the builders. The instrument is to be rebuilt, new stops added and several modern improvements made which will make the organ one of the finest in this part of the state.

The work will be completed in a few weeks and in September Prof. Harry Packman will commence a series of organ recitals, when the public will have an opportunity of hearing the various improvements in the tone of the organ. The new work will include some very fine solo stops.

KOBLOITZ WINS  
HORSE SUIT

The case of Louis Kobloitz versus Constable Waverly of the town of Washington, held in Judge Hunt's court last Friday and Saturday was settled late Saturday afternoon and a verdict returned for the plaintiff. Plaintiff in the case sued for the recovery of a horse that the constable had taken from his farm.

## WEDDED IN 30 MINUTES.

WATERBURY, Conn., July 13.—Louis A. Wood, 30 years old, whose occupation is railroad engineering, home at New Haven, secretly wedded Mary Schellen, aged 39, of New Haven, in this city. They came here, got married and left within thirty minutes. No couple here ever made equal speed. They got to the town clerk's office in the nick of time, and by advice of Attorney Thomas F. Lawler caught Howard B. Snow, justice, in the city hall rotunda. It was an informal affair, and the couple seemed relieved that it was over.

MANY DEATHS FROM  
SUNDAY HEAT WAVE

FOUR DEAD AND SEVENTY  
PROSTRATED IN CHICAGO

## ST. LOUIS PEOPLE SUFFERING

Heat There Continues Today — New  
York Has Several Deaths and  
One Suicide Reported

NEW YORK, July 13.—An intensely hot morning following Sunday's scorching in which twelve died of heat and there were scores of prostrations, promised little relief to New York today. One suicide and one attempted suicide due to heat, occurred this morning.

Less than an inch and a half of rain has fallen in this section since May 30th and the drought is withering truck gardens. The precipitation is about a tenth of normal, and forms a record for draught for this time of year.

## One Dead at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 13.—With a record of one dead, and another dying from yesterday's heat, the thermometer started today climbing upward at a rate which foretold another scorcher. A 8 o'clock it stood at 78. Yesterday it reached 91.

## Four Die in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 13.—Four deaths and seventy prostrations within the 24 hours ending at 2 o'clock this afternoon have resulted despite the slightly cooler weather. Three died Sunday from the heat.

SAENGERFEST GUIDE  
BY G. A. KUEHN

The La Crosse Volksfreund company, G. A. Kuehn, editor, has published a neatly gotten up and very useful book of information for the Saengerfest—"Saengerfest Guide." It comprises 48 pages and the cover, besides a map of the city. The singer's guide contains: An original welcome poem by Mr. Kuehn, a history of the city with another original poem by the editor a description of the Saengerfest city, the foundation of the Sangerbund of the Northwest. Very nice and clear cuts of the yet living founders of the bund, also of the officers of the bund and the officers of the Fest, cuts of the auditoriums and Germania hall and Mme. Anna Hickisch-Howland, the principal soloist of the concerts, the programs of the five concerts, a list of the sleeping quarters of societies of the bund during the fest and other useful information. The booklet is published in pocket size and therefore very handy. It is to be had at the office of the La Crosse Volksfreund company, 122 Main street.

Over 1,500 of these booklets have been sent by express to the societies of the bund through the northwest by the publisher and were received with very flattering comments.

FATALLY HURT BY  
ANGRY BROTHER

CHICAGO, July 13.—In protecting his mother from an attack, Geo. Olsen, aged 17, was stabbed in the jugular vein and fatally wounded by his brother John today. John escaped.

SOUTHEASTERN TO  
RUN EXCURSIONS

A. L. Eidemiller, passenger agent of the La Crosse & Southeastern, has sent notice to the Saengerfest association to the effect that the Southeastern will run excursions on that line during the week of the Saengerfest. Special rates have been sent out by the company for the cities along the line. The rate is good returning July 27.

## STORK VISITS CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Herman W. Singer, Jr., of 1430 Caledonia street, are the parents of a baby boy. Mrs. Singer was formerly Miss Jessie B. Nelson of Lansing, Iowa, and Mr. Singer formerly with The Tribune, is now engaged with the Metropolitan Life Insurance company.

## DOWNEY COLTS WIN.

The Downey Colts defeated the Robinson team 8 to 3 Sunday afternoon. Batteries, Robinson and Abbie, and Wells, Robinson and Brown. In a second game the Robinson team defeated Dan Sullivan's aggregation.

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WOODS AT VIROQUA

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TIONAL FIG LEAF

## FARMERS NOTIFY SHERIFF

WILL START BEAUTIFICATION OF  
AUDITORIUM

Farmers in the vicinity of Viroqua say that there is an insane man at large without any clothing in that neighborhood. According to reports, the man was seen Saturday evening wandering in the woods and through the fields, naked. Several farmers are said to have seen the man Saturday afternoon, but at that time he had a coat, trousers and hat on. He was a stranger in the district, and when he was questioned he did not seem to know his name or where he came from. He was an elderly man with a mustache and evidently an American. The farmers thought nothing of the matter except that he was rather queer. When seen later without any clothing they remembered the man whom they had seen in the afternoon and some of the people who saw him at both times say that the man is the same one.

Sheriff Silsbaugh was immediately notified and parties were sent out to search for the fellow. The sheriff has not received word from any of the asylums to the effect that one of the inmates had escaped, so he thinks that the man is a stranger in the district. The farmers' testimony bears out this idea, as no one ever saw him before.

TRADE BOOMERS ON  
A TWO DAYS' TRIP

(Continued from page 1.)

Lewis, W. Ott, J. R. Evans, O. I. Fitz, J. B. Funke, Henry Gund, J. W. Bryant, Will Smith, J. B. Montague, W. B. Orton.

## Firms Represented

The manufacturers and jobbers that were represented are as follows: J. C. Burns Fruit House, Bryant-Sisson Co., C. L. Colman, Carrell Coal company, Elliott & Loeffler, Electric Light and Power company, J. B. Funke, J. Gund Brewing company, J. J. Hogan, Emil Mueller, H. C. Hart, Ice Cream & Butter company, Fred Kroner, Kratchwill Candy company, E. C. Kuhn, La Crosse Knitting company, Listman Mill company, J. I. Lamb, Langdon & Boyd, C. J. Mitchell, McClellan Paper company, Martin Bros., Northern Wisconsin Leaf Tobacco company, B. Ott & Sons, La Crosse Plow company, Plumbing Supply company, La Crosse Rubber Mills, O. J. Sorenson, Star Knitting works, Standard Oil company, Smith Manufacturing company, Tillman Bros., B. Trepte, August Miller, Sielstad & Haugen and Segelke & Kohlhaas.

H. LACHENMAIER  
DIES OF HEAT

Word was received in the city last evening of the sudden death of Henry Lachenmaier, formerly a resident of La Crosse. Lachenmaier left La Crosse about two months ago, going to Fountain City, where he was employed on the farm of Emil Klein, a relative of the deceased.

He appeared to be in good health until Saturday morning. Friday he complained of the intense heat, but nothing serious was expected. Saturday morning he went to work as usual, going out in the fields. He had been at work but a short time when he complained again of the heat and said he could not work any more that day. His employer told him to go and lay down and rest. He started away and when next found he was lying near a tree some distance from the house and was dead. The authorities were called and it was discovered death had been caused by sunstroke.

Deceased was well known here, having for a number of years run a blacksmith shop at 226 Pearl Street in Company with Verkins. He leaves besides his mother, Mrs. Frederick Lachenmaier, three brothers and three sisters. Mrs. C. F. Klein, 306 North Eighth street, was also a sister of deceased.

SHARPSHOOTERS TO  
MEET SEMI-MONTHLY

The Sharpshooters did not hold the usual practice Sunday afternoon. Many members were unable to be present and seven were at the Sharpshooters' convention, making it impossible to hold a meet. It has been decided to meet every other week instead of every week, as has been done hitherto, the new schedule going into effect immediately.

EDDIE STILL HAS  
A "BATTING EYE"

In the standings of the national league for batting up to Saturday's game, Eddie Konetchy is batting .245. He has been at bat 233 times, scored 18 times and secured 57 hits. Eddie is batting 43 in the league, including all players, and ranks 20th among the regulars.

## KRONER ACORNS DEFEATED.

The La Crosse Clothing company baseball team defeated the Kroner Acorns Sunday afternoon in a fast game of baseball at the Hogan school grounds. The features of the game were the pitching of Falk and each registering about thirteen strikeouts. The game was no contest, as the pitchers did not allow more than five hits each and both had sterling support.

L. NOBLE GETS THE  
DECORATING WORK

WILL START BEAUTIFICATION OF  
AUDITORIUM

## WON'T PAINT THE FRONT

First Rehearsal Held in the New  
Buildings Shows That it Will Be  
Excellent

At a meeting of the general committee and the decoration committee of the Saengerfest Saturday afternoon the contract for the decoration of the auditorium was let to Mr. Leonard Noble, of Decorah, Ia. Mr. Noble was formerly located here, his parents residing on State street. He is an expert decorator and expects to start work on the interior of the building at once. The plans and material are already on hand and the work will be rushed to completion.

The exterior of the auditorium will also be under his charge and it was decided not to paint the front side of the building. It will be decorated with flags and bunting, the German colors predominating. Two large national flags will fly from the flag staffs on the building and in the middle of the front a large lyre will be constructed with electrical display. The remainder of the front will be decorated with bunting and flowers.

The secretary was authorized to send a circular letter to the societies at Chicago, Milwaukee and several other places correcting the rumor to the effect that the building was erected by non-union laborers and contractor. Mr. Utermosh said that he could not locate where any such falsehood could have originated as all the work of the Saengerfest has been done in union shops and nothing but union men have been employed in the constructing the auditorium.

Mr. Alfred Bosshard was appointed chairman of the committee on reception and refreshments for the visitors at the Germania on the opening day and will co-operate with Mrs. Adolph Candrian, who is chairman of the ladies' reception committee. The Germania will be the headquarters for all the singers during the fest and the Stoddard hotel will be the headquarters for the officers of the Bund.

The work of installing electric fans in the auditorium has been turned over to Contractor Schwalbe. The first rehearsal of the mixed chorus held in the auditorium, took place yesterday afternoon with the orchestra, and the result was very gratifying to the committee. The auditorium was shown to be adequate in all respects.

A rehearsal will be held tomorrow morning and Friday morning of the children's chorus at the Germania. Superintendent Shaw has donated the use of three street cars for the benefit of the North side children and the cars will leave the corner near the St. James church at 8:30, both tomorrow and Friday, and as the rehearsal opens at 9 o'clock, the officers in charge have requested that all who are to sing in the chorus be present on time.

The secretary received word from the Concordia society at St. Paul stating that they would arrive at noon on the Burlington with the entire society present.

Chairman Whittier of the advertising committee received an enthusiastic letter from the secretary of the Maennerchor Eichenkranz society at Milwaukee, and in his letter he says that nearly the entire Milwaukee society will be present on the occasion of the Saengerfest.

WHITE GIRL IS  
SLAIN BY NEGRO

JOPLIN, Mo., July 13.—Because Mrs. Roy Plum, 19 years old, white, an attaché of a carnival company, resented his advances, Will Wilson, a negro, 24 years old, struck her a terrific blow over the left temple, killing her. He then tied a rope around her neck, according to his own confession, dragged the body 300 feet at Carl Junction, near here. Leaving the body, he returned to the place where he had murdered her.

He was tracked by his barefoot prints and arrested by Marshal Bernhard and J. G. Miller, proprietor of the carnival company, and spirited away to escape a mob of employees who had secured a rope with which to lynch him.

Wilson was later taken to the jail at Carthage. During his stay in jail he broke down and confessed.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO  
COUNTY COURT

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County.—ss. In Probate Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, appointed to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the 1st Tuesday, being the fourth day of August, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered, namely: The petition of Wm. S. Burroughs of the City of La Crosse, named as executor, praying to have admitted to probate the last will and testament of Martha E. Roddle, late of the town of Onalaska, in said County of La Crosse, deceased, and for the appointment of petitioner as executor thereof.

Dated July 13th, A. D., 1908.  
By order of the Court,  
JOHN BRINDLEY,  
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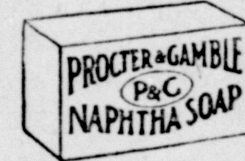
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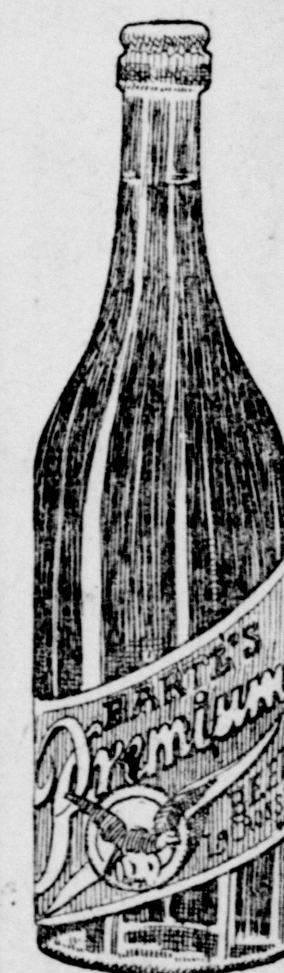
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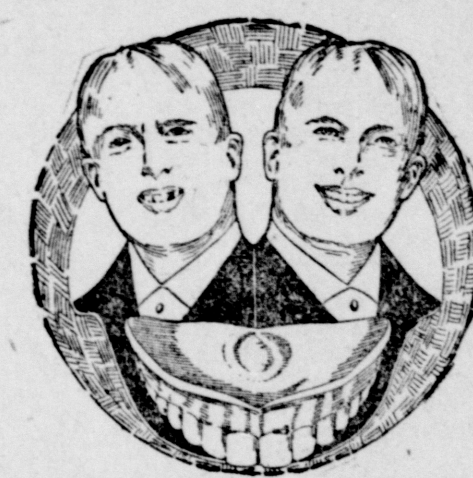
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